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THE AD.

Queer Things Found in Advertising Columns.

Quaint Advertisements From the English Newspapers.

The Tribe of Hoodoos—The Terrible Musician—The Misfit Carriage—A New Religion.

The advertisements of a big daily paper give us unexpected glimpses of some of the queer phases of life which are full of mystery to the man who goes about his own business every day. Here, for instance, is somebody who wants a "figure lady," to stand up and be counted with a measuring tape to see if she accords with the proper dimensions of a clothes horse. Have you ever in your giddy round of social gaieties met anybody whom you suspected of being a figure lady? Down the column a little way is somebody who needs "an amateur actor" in his business. He adds that the amateur will need a little capital probably as a guarantee of good faith. Somebody wants a "weekly shoemaker," a variety of artist it has not been my fortune to encounter. Does a weekly shoemaker make one pair of shoes in a week, or is he paid once a week, or does he get drunk once a week? A seven day shoemaker is one of the mysteries. His recurrence at regular intervals may, I presume, be foretold with accuracy, but I wonder how he is wound up. There is a situation offered to an experienced man to saw wood in a kindling wood factory, and somebody wants a "Swiss butler" for $30 a month. No other brand of butler will be accepted. Again, somebody requests you to take the road and sell copying books for $2 50, on which the commission is $1 50. Here there are "boundless potentialities of riches beyond the dreams of avarice," accompanied by the natural business sense of satisfaction of having robbed a man of $1 50 every time you sell him a book. It is a grand opening for a thief, lacking only the occasional excitement of going to jail.

Another employer of labor advertises for a man who will "go to work without expecting a deed to a house and lot," but he does not tell us why the man should be so moderate in his expectations. Here is a music teacher (calls himself "professor"), who undertakes to give you the complete mastery of the violin or the flute in six lessons by "regular notes." He guarantees to make you learn three perfect tunes every time you take a lesson, and I would like to see him try it on me. But imagine the consternation which such a fiend might produce in a quiet neighborhood. They talk a great deal about the wear and tear and hurry and strain of metropolitan life which hurries countless thousands into their early graves, but it is not that. It is the woman with the piano next door or the flautist flouting on his flute upstairs.

You are implored to use "anti-obesity tea" and you are advised to "learn to dance before going to the country," in order that you may not discredit your city training. "A city gent," who hops neither wisely nor well, is liable to be filled with shot like the Jumping Frog, and although that may make him a very steady young man, it may also make him stiff.

The clairvoyants, the mediums, the astrologers, the quack doctors, and, in fact, the whole tribe of hoodoos, are a queer folk, and their advertisements are a very grotesque sort of literature. A noted hoodoo advertises, as a guarantee of good faith, that she has been "tested by the nobility of Europe," but nevertheless she will tell your fortune for half a dollar. Mrs. Hellsbells tells us that she was "formerly the Wonderful Child," and Madame Bluefizz advertises herself a "scientific young revealer of eggs." Another, who rather vaguely describes herself as a "French lady just arrived from Canada," informs the public that she is a "trumpet medium." Just think of a man performing "I owe $10 to O'Grady" on a French lady just arrived from Canada.

Some of the advertisements found in the English newspapers are very quaint. Here is one which illustrates a certain phase of human nature in very open fashion:

Cleveden (Eng.) Mercury.

WANTED—A real plain but experienced and efficient governess for three girls, eldest sixteen. Music, French, and German required. Brilliancy of conversation, fascination of manner, and symmetry of form objected to, as the father is much at home and there are grown up sons. Address MAIER, Postoffice, Cleveden.

Another offers what might seem to be a very desirable situation for somebody, as well as an unexpected sense of the superiority of what we call the "hired girl":

Edinburgh Scotsman.

SERVANT—Wanted, by a family living in an Edinburgh flat, a general servant who will kindly superintend her mistress in cooking and washing, nursing the baby, etc. She will have every Sunday and two nights out in each week, and the use of the drawing room for the reception of her friends. Address A. F., *Scotsman* office.

In another English paper I find the celebrity of Dickens put to commercial use by a tailor, who announces that "Goswell road, immortalized by the late Charles Dickens in his famous work 'The Pickwick Papers,' is *also became generally known* as the locality where"—after which follows the name of the tailor's shop. It seems too much honor for one dull neighborhood to be made so doubly famous. The following, selected from an English paper, are no doubt quite clear to those who understand the language, which I confess I do not:

DRAPERY.—WANTED at once, Young Lady, as FANCY WINDOWDRESSER. Also Young Lady for the fancy.—W. and J. Hammerton, 16 and 17, Royal-terrace, Upton Park, Essex.

TO BUILDERS.—Six CARCASES for SALE, a bargain (FREEHOLD). Beautifully situate at Clacton-on-Sea.—C. Garrood, Esq., South Lodge, Forrest-hill.

HOW TO VAMP TO Songs, Chords, &c. Post free, 1s. 6d.—J. W. GOODHEAD, Bolton-street, Manchester.

NINE capital WEEKLY HOUSES for Sale. Stepney. Good paying tenants. Rental £280 16s. Ground rent £36. Term about 56 years. Price £2250.

A TRADESMAN'S daughter, aged 18, requires a SITUATION in a butcher's desk. Not been out before, would give time. Indoor preferred.—X. Y. Z., 89.

What on earth would a young lady be doing in a butcher's desk, and why is it necessary to specify her preference for indoors?

Here are a few which give an insight into some queer funeral customs:

THE REFORMED FUNERALS COMPANY.—Specialists and experts in the reverent disposal of the dead. Perfect services. Cambridge-place, Norfolk-square, W.

THE LARGEST and most beautiful CEMETERY in Europe is the LONDON NECROPOLIS, Brookwood, Woking, Surrey. All are recommended to inspect it before depositing their dead in the overcrowded and seething London cemeteries. Simple funerals. Offices, 2, Lancaster-place, Strand.

CLOTHES LENT FOR FUNERALS.—BLACKFORD lends the finest of clothes for the occasion. New from eminent West-end tailors and as left off by gentlemen. The largest stock in London.—13, Chandos-street, Charing-cross, and 3, 4, and 5, King-street, Covent-garden (one door from Market).

The attractions of a cemetery where the corpse could have room to turn round without being elbowed by undesirable and seething persons are obvious, but imagine borrowing a coat to help you bury a friend. Does an Englishman regard a hired coat as an evidence of emotion?

Here is a delicious bit:

LIGHT LANDAU; only used a few weeks by Lady Galway. Not soiled. Also Light Brougham (Major King's). At Royal Carriage Factory, 131, Long-acre.

One wonders whether the carriage was a misfit for Lady Galway or is held to have increased in value by reason of its temporary association with a peeress. Would the old shoes of a marquis, for instance, or a duke's collar button gone wrong be regarded as increased in value because of their previous condition of servitude?

Please explain:

A MUSIC SMITH and ENGINEER'S SHOP and BUSINESS in full work, with all plant and necessary utensils, for SALE. Apply to Glover, &c.

On this side they usually call themselves "professor."

In advertising songs they frequently give one verse as here:

HAPPY THREE! BOECKEL and HICKENS's new humorous Song.

"Very funny, and quite in the Gilbertian epigrammatic manner."—*The World.*

First Verse.

There were lovers three in the days gone by,
They were healthy, they were wealthy, yet they'd sit and sigh,
Sit and sigh till the window curtain shook,
And all for the sake of a sweet maid's look.
For they loved her one, and two, and three,
And each one prayed her his bride to be:
Till she cried, "Ah, no! you must surely see,
If I don't love one that I can't love three."
Three sad men,
But they loved enough for ten,
And they sighed enough for twenty,
These sad young men!
In B flat, C (C to E), and D. 2s.

The last line must not be mistaken for poetry.

An English religious paper some time ago contained this advertisement:

"Wanted, before Advent, unmarried priest (earnest Evangelical High Churchman) for small country church, the congregation of which is largely composed of men. The six points. Choral services. Open air preaching. Cricket, football, and workingmen's clubs. No mustached or lawn tennis playing priest need apply."

It is clear that somebody has invented a new religion in which cricket and football are orthodox and lawn tennis and mustaches are rank heresy. I would like to know the views of this new sect on the advantages of a bald head as an aid to salvation.

There is humor enough in all these advertisements, but it is all unconscious, and for that reason (without more) they give a valuable insight into the nature of the English business man. In this country, on the other hand, we sometimes find a grim joke inserted with intention, as for instance:

CARD.—PETER HOULE WISHES HIS friends to know that he has left Lawrence for Newton, N. H. He will be found during the summer at Country Point, Island Pond, where he will be pleased to see such of his friends as may come that way. It costs too much to keep a dog in Lawrence for me. PETER HOULE.

Lawrence, July 31, 1888.

A New York show window the other day was made attractive by the exposition of an article of apparel, or adornment if you will, with this label:

This is an Exact Fac Simile of the Bustle Worn by Mrs. President-elect Harrison.

The inaugural bustle undoubtedly. A joke in the worst possible taste, you will say, but what may one expect from people who invent so extraordinary a title as "Mrs. President elect."

EDWARD F. CAHILL.

A NEW HAND.

Joseph McAvoy Has Been in the Council Chamber but Once.

Joseph McAvoy is the new Councilman from the Fourth ward. Mr. McAvoy has dabbled somewhat in politics, having several times been the nominee of various Democratic conventions for various city and county offices, and at last his patience has been rewarded. "But," says Mr. McAvoy plaintively, "I wish that you would put a notice in the paper saying that I don't need any information as to how to run the Council, and that I haven't any places to give away. There ain't a man that I meet but knows more about the Council than I do, and the worst of it is they are all so ready to impart what they know, and after you have heard it, it don't amount to anything. It is true that in all the years that I have lived here in this city I have never seen inside of the City Council chambers but once, and that was so long ago that I almost forget how it looks. That was a great while ago, when Daddy Hayes of East Oakland was in the Council. I went up to the City Hall to see George Snook for something, and Snook was in the Council chamber, and I had to go there to find him. That was the only time that I was ever in there. But just the same, every man I meet wants to tell me how to run the job, and feels bad if I don't let him tell me. I can't go around the corner but I am struck half a dozen times for some job, and the only way that I can get away from them is to go home and lock myself in. I think that the papers must have made some mistake in regard to my majority. I am sure that Harrison did not get a vote, for I think that I have shaken hands with every man in the ward and they all voted for me. I think that there must be some mistake," and the man from Pennsylvania stood off another applicant for position.

The Squirrel Pest.

The farmers on the border line between Alameda and Contra Costa counties are becoming alarmed over the squirrel pest. Recently they held a meeting, and the matter was brought to the attention of the Supervisors of Contra Costa county. Yesterday they held a meeting, and the question was discussed at length. Secretary Plumb of the Oakland Board of Trade was present and took part in the discussion. Finally a committee was appointed to confer with a like committee from the Supervisors of this county as to the proper action to be taken.

Ready for Distribution.

The estate of Robert Haley, deceased, who was killed by the explosion of a boiler at the Terrace baths in Alameda, is ready for distribution. The entire estate goes to the widow.

THE BATON.

The Dictatory Man With Music in Him.

The Clarinet Solo and the Grand Stand Violinist.

The Mendelssohn Quintette, the Starr King Fraternity, Musin, Local Singers.

Fortieth season! Think of it, a musical organization in continuous existence for forty years—musicians, the most inharmonious, jealous, cranky and most unpractical people in the world, kept together for nearly half a century. Ah, but they are not. The Mendelssohn Quintette Club (for I am writing of that), has been in existence for a great stretch of years, but the members have changed and constantly do change. Sometimes they die, sometimes they leave the club for reasons less potent than death. One of the original members remains. Fatherly Thomas Ryan, whose white locks tell of the frosty touch of time, fingers his clarinet and draws his bow over the viola as he did when the musicians, now in full maturity were children, learning to linger the chromatic scale or were howling up and down the natural gamut. Ah, Thomas Ryan is a grand old musician. Musical fireworks have no place in his refined taste. He is a musician and has musicians around him. The Mendelssohn Quintette Club changes, but never loses its place at the head of such organizations. Except Mr. Ryan all the present members are young men.

As he has done since the ears of those still quick listened to sweet sounds Mr. Ryan does. He plays a clarinet solo and bows the viola in the ensemble music. Why anyone should play a clarinet solo in a concert has ever been a mystery to me, unless he wants to show that he has nimble fingers and sturdy lungs. A clarinet is useful in an orchestra and indispensible in a band, but it is dispensible from a concert as a solo instrument. As much music can be made by blowing into a bottle or singing through a comb covered as to its teeth with tissue paper. But Mr. Ryan plays so cleverly and the accompaniment of the strings is so charming that the listener is inclined to forget the unworthy instrument whence come the reedy sounds and to enjoy the harmony and wonder at the skillfulness of the player.

Nepotism has crept into the Mendelssohn Quintette Club. If Miss Alice Ryan were not the daughter of Thomas Ryan she never would have been selected the prima donna soprano to sing with the club. Her father apologized for her at the concert on Thursday evening, saying that she was aweary from travel and hoarse from cold. He made a similar apology at Sacramento, and I am waiting to hear if he will repeat the same thing at San Francisco after she has made the fatiguing and perilous trip across the raging bay. Yielding everything, making every allowance, Miss Ryan has not the qualities of a great singer. Better sopranos can be heard at one or two churches in Oakland. I refrain from saying which one or ones (when a writer upon musical matters buts up against a church choir he gets his head scratched), any Sunday evening, or morning either, I suppose. Miss Ryan is a fair singer. She has good manners. She does not surge her chest up and down as though breath were to be wooed by semblance of emotion, as some lovers are wooed, and she does not wave her arms like an orator in a Democratic convention. She is easy, graceful, and withal sings well.

A great violinist is a member of the Mendelssohn Quintette—Wilhelm Ohliger. He played a fantasie by the great Spanish violinist Sarasate and played it grandly. The 'cellist is another master. Herr Hekking is probably unexcelled in the world.

For one encore on Thursday evening he played an arrangement of "Traumerei." Theodore Thomas made an arrangement of "Traumerei" with a romanza. His orchestra played it. The Boston Quintette Club that was here a few weeks ago played another arrangement. Camillo Urso played Thomas's arrangement with the romanza. The Mendelssohn Club played still another. Now, I like "Traumerei," always did, and probably always shall like it. I should like to hear this bit of Schumann's music at my funeral, but I do not know that I care to hear it again until then, and then only for the pleasure of having solved the problem of the future of mankind, when the earthly ears shall have ceased to hear "La Paloma" thrummed from 40,000 guitars and the spiritual sense might listen to the golden harps of throngs of heavenly minstrels, coming and going—but suppose the angels should play "La Paloma"! Ugh!

The director of the concert did not adhere very closely to the printed programme, but who cares? Those who know no better cheerfully applauded a finale by Schubert, thinking it a gypsy rondo, and wondered what composition Boccherini's minuet might be (and then some of them write a criticism), and those who do know were proud that they did know the music that was played.

Could any music be better than Schubert's finale or Mayseder's quintet as played by the Mendelssohn Club? I think not.

Musin approaches. What's to be said about Musin? Every musician knows that he is a great artist and yet he is a fiddling gymnast, too; but did you ever see one who would not travel miles to hear Musin play? Musin can play like Wilhelmj, and he can also cut queer capers with his instrument. I do not know that he ever played the trick of using the threads of his bow under the strings, as a member of the Boston Quintette Club unworthily did, but I think he would be willing to do so. If Musin were a baseball artist instead of a musical artist he would be called the greatest "grand stand player" the world has ever seen. Yet who can blame him? Shakespeare often wrote for the gods, and even Paganini himself sometimes played tricks with his violin in public and never allowed anyone to hear him or see him when he was practicing.

The Rev. Charles W. Wendte, a thorough theoretical musician, delivered a charming address before the Starr King Fraternity last evening upon "Jacob Meyerbeer," whose real name was Beer. Upon the death of a rich relative by the name of Meyer the two names were united. After Mr. Wendte's address the following music was given:

Piano and violin, "Fantasie Brilliante" ..... Meyerbeer
(Arranged by De Beriot.)
Miss Chamberlain, Professor Walter Perkins.
Piano solo, "Pacsettanz" ..... Meyerbeer
Miss Belle Chamberlain.
(Pupil of Miss L. Alexander.)
Contralto aria, "O pretres de Baal" .... Prophete
Mme. Christine de la Mothe.
Violincello and piano, "Romance" ... Goltermann
Mr. and Mrs. Gutterson.
Violin solo, selected ..... Meyerbeer
Professor Walter Perkins.
Contralto solo, "The Monk" ... Meyerbeer
Mme. Christine de la Mothe.
Barytone solo, selected .... Sanford Bennett

The singing of Madame de la Mothe was particularly enjoyed. The music was under the direction of Sanford Bennett.

The music incidental to the play of *As You Like It*, to be given by amateurs at the Oakland Theater next Friday evening, will be heard with interest. Rare Ben Clark, who always sang for Neilson when she was in San Francisco, after poor Joe Maguire lost his voice, will sing familiar solos.

The illness of Miss Alice Dyer was not such as to confine that lady to her home for any length of time, and to-morrow she will take her place in the choir at the First Congregational Church. The choir will be further strengthened by the appearance again of its leader, A. M. Benham, who has been ill for over two weeks and unable to take an active part in musical affairs. Mr. Benham has been confined to his home for a long time, but on Monday he expects to be well enough to get to business again at his office.

The Choral Society concert announced for Friday evening was postponed because of the temporary illness of Miss Dyer.

Directors of choirs are already preparing for the Easter services.

THE FOURTH WARD PRIMARY.

A Relic in the Form of a Suit Against George Kirk.

The recent Republican primary election in the Fourth ward is not yet forgotten. It will probably be kept fresh in the minds of the public for some time to come, owing to the fact that a suit was commenced in the Superior Court this afternoon, wherein persons connected with that election are directly interested. It will be remembered that George Kirk, collector for the Oakland Gaslight Company was a candidate for the nomination for Councilman against T. G. Harrison. During the afternoon of the primary election excitement ran very high in the Fourth ward, and Mr. Kirk suspected that frauds were being committed. He appealed to Officer Joe Fields, who was on duty at the polls, to arrest the men who were attempting to prevent the honest voters from exercising their rights. Fields informed him that he could not arrest any one unless he knew he was guilty of some offense, but said that he would take any man to prison whom Kirk would arrest and turn over to him. Finally a young man named C. Finch got into the line, and Kirk said that he was not a legal voter in the ward and asked Fields to watch him. The officer did watch him, and when Finch went to vote he was challenged and swore his vote in. Fields then called him one side and informed Mr. Kirk that the man had voted after he had been challenged. Kirk walked up to Finch, and tapping him on the shoulder, placed him under arrest on a charge of felony. Finch was taken to the City Hall in the patrol wagon. The young man remained in prison until nearly midnight before he was released on bail. Kirk failed to swear out a complaint against Finch, and after the latter had appeared in court twice the charge was dismissed on motion of the Prosecuting Attorney. The complaint filed by Finch this afternoon recites that he was assaulted by Kirk and charged by him with the crime of felony, etc. He also asserts that the arrest was without probable cause, and that by reason of the acts of the defendant, and as a direct and proximate result thereof he has been damaged to the sum of $5000, and he asks judgment against Kirk for that amount. George E. De Golia is the attorney for the plaintiff.

THE DOG LAUGHED.

A Minneapolis Dog That Plays Pranks Upon the Canines of That City.

Harry Wadsworth has a story to tell about his dog. He vouches for it as strictly true, and produces the dog to prove it, says the Minneapolis *Journal*. It seems that the said canine both before and hereinafter mentioned in this document has a habit of visiting a certain butcher shop close by and contiguous to the residence of said owner for the purpose of obtaining the ingredients of a square dog meal. The other day the dog was grouped with a large bone in front of the house, which he was preparing to masticate in his artless canine way. Suddenly he looked up the street in a dreamy, unimpassioned manner, as dogs will, and saw a fat pug coming to pay his respects.

Wadsworth, who was watching his pet from the window with feelings of pardonable satisfaction, was horrified to see the animal leave that great, fat bone on the sidewalk and trot, carelessly into the open hallway. Before he could step out and remonstrate with his dog for being so careless the other dog wabbled up and began sniffing at the bone. Suddenly and all at once a streak of yellow light flashed from the hallway to the sidewalk and alighted on the pug, which turned tail and fled up the street with many piteous howls.

And—would you believe it—the Wadsworth dog just stood there and laughed. It was all a put-up-job on the part of the Wadsworth dog and he was tickled to death over the way it worked. Harry would not sell that dog now for a seat in the legislature, and stands ready to make solemn affidavit to the foregoing above.

NOT MILLIONAIRES.

J. C. Martin Has Something to Say About J. C. Martin.

For the past few days the story has been going the rounds in the newspapers that J. C. Martin of Oakland has declined to settle his claim against the estate of Charles McLaughlin for $40,000. When James C. Martin walks down the street he is constantly congratulated by friends on his bright outlook of receiving a large slice of the McLaughlin estate.

James C. Martin smiles.

There is only one James C. Martin in Oakland.

He does not know J. C. Martin, but he would like to meet him.

James C. Martin says that he does not think the money of all of his relatives put together would amount to $50,000.

They are not millionaires.

James C. Martin desires it understood that he is not the James C. Martin who is interested in the McLaughlin estate.

Now, who is J. C. Martin?

Seven Feet and Rising.

Lake Chabot rose seven inches last evening, making a rise of seven feet during the storm. Even if the rain should stop now the lake would continue to rise, as the streams are all running.

A Specialty Company.

Kernell's Specialty Company will play on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings of next week at the Oakland Theater.

USE GREAT CARE.

Storm Instructions to the Railroad Men.

Time Not to Be Considered in Moving Trains.

The Roadbed Between Oakland and Port Costa Is in Bad Condition on Account of Rain.

The storm indications were so threatening last evening that Acting Division Superintendent J. C. Wilder issued special storm orders, instructing agents to exercise the greatest care, for a storm was anticipated. Mr. Wilder also issued the following order to engineers and conductors:

On account of the heavy rains we have had, and the prospect of the storm continuing, every precaution must be taken in getting your trains over the road. Time must not be taken into consideration, and when there is any possible chance of slides or washouts occurring, trains must proceed with great caution, so that no damage whatever will be done persons or property.

The double track between Oakland and Port Costa is in pretty bad condition, as the following notice of caution, that was issued from the pier, will show:

Conductors and engineers—Slow up through the cut coming into Vallejo junction on the west bound track, and at Selby's. Side tracks at Sobrante can be used at east end only. Room to hold thirty cars on the end of east track. The west end is not safe, and the switches will be spiked down for two or three days. The west bound track is out of line in the Sobrante cut and is very bad between Stege and Highland. Run carefully on east bound track between Selby and Port Costa.

The road bed of the San Pablo and Tulare Railroad between Martinez and Antioch, over the marsh, is very soft. The western division by way of Niles is in fair condition.

Wires are down in almost every direction, and no telegraphic communication can be had east of Truckee. Snow has been falling in the mountains, but the overland train arrived on time this morning. Overland wires are down south and north, and local wires are working badly.

The Oregon train came through from Delta this morning, and was two hours late in arriving at the Oakland pier. The road has been opened between Chico and Delta, but it is very rough. It was raining hard at Redding last evening, and if the storm keeps up the Oregon division will be blockaded for sometime to come. Rain has been falling steadily for four days in the upper Sacramento valley, and the streams are all high. If the storm keeps up in that section there will be a great deal of trouble. It was expected that connections could be made by last night, but this was not done, and it is said that a train will be pushed through today, but unless the train stops this cannot be done. No wires are working north of Delta, but it is understood that between Suisun and Delta no trains are running.

The washes on the Southern Pacific are still in bad condition, for the Southern Pacific overland to-day is three hours late.

Eight hundred feet of the Ventura division of the Southern Pacific Company washed out at Rincon last night.

The San Joaquin division, from Tracy south, is running, and has not suffered much.

The divisions under the charge of A. D. Wilder have suffered little having been well kept up during the summer. The long dry season in January and February enabled the company to repair what damage had been done by the early storm, or the trouble would have been much greater.

The barometer was rising this morning.

CHANGEABLE WINDS.

A Violent Gale and Heavy Rain During the Night.

Dr. J. B. Trembley says that he does not think that the storm is over. The wind veered around last night from the south to the north and northeast, but it is changeable and comes in gusts. Dr. Trembley says that in all the observations that he has taken here for thirteen years he has never seen the wind circle around from south to east, north, and then to the west, except once or twice in summer. Therefore Dr. Trembley thinks that the wind will swing back to the south and thence around to the west before the weather will be clear. There seem to be two air currents at present, one from the northeast, near the ground, and one higher up and moving slowly up from the south. This, he says, is the current that brings rain or storm.

The barometer this morning was 29.21, according to Dr. Trembley's observations, which is the extreme lowest point ever reached in this city since he has begun his observations. It has been rising slowly during the morning.

The storm last evening was very violent. At 9 P. M. the sky was clear and the moon and stars were shining. A few flaky clouds hung about the horizon in the south, and by midnight the wind was blowing a gale. Rain began falling at 2 A. M. and continued until daylight.

Fifty Days for Stealing Ladders.

William M. Johnson, the step-ladder thief, was arraigned this morning in the Police Court, and pleaded guilty to two charges of petty larceny. Johnson is a mulatto. He seems to have confined his larcenies to stepladders. His method was to borrow a ladder on some plausible pretext and then dispose of it for whatever he could get for it at a second hand store. For one of the ladders thus borrowed he informed the court that he received $1. Just as the court was in the act of adjourning William M. Dudley filed a third complaint against Johnson, charging him with stealing a ladder worth $2 50 belonging to George H. Aiken. It is understood that the accused borrowed the ladder from Dr. Aiken on the representation that he wanted it to use it in decorating a church. As soon as he got it he translated it into coin at the nearest junk store. To the two offenses to which Johnson pleaded guilty, Judge Henshaw sentenced him to pay a fine of $25, with the alternative of twenty-five days in each case. The third charge will be disposed of Monday.

F. M. Campbell in New York.

A telegram received from Washington this morning states that Superintendent Fred M. Campbell of Oakland leaves for New York to-day where he will leave his daughter, Miss Mamie Campbell, for a visit. He intends to return to Washington and settle up the affairs of the Department of Superintendence of the Mutual Teachers' Association and will return to Oakland before April 1st.

No Failures Yet.

Justice Snook is breaking the record for marriages. The other day he performed three marriage ceremonies in fifteen minutes.

IT WAS HER RELIGION.

That's What Prevented Mrs. Palmer From Suing for a Divorce.

A few weeks ago Joseph Palmer brought suit in the Superior Court to obtain a decree of divorce from Catherine Palmer on the ground of habitual intemperance. The wife denied the charge, and recently she applied to Judge Ellsworth to be allowed alimony and counsel fees, in order that she might properly defend the action. His Honor allowed her $50 for attorney's fees, but denied her motion for alimony. Mrs. Palmer has now filed her answer to the complaint, and asserts that there are six children, the issue of the union. She denies the charge of intemperance, and avers that her husband is the one at fault, as he has treated her in a cruel manner. She alleges that he has accused her of being untrue, which charge, she says, is utterly without foundation. On account of her religion and the disgrace it would be likely to confer on her children, she refrained from asking for a divorce until now. The wife has, however, determined to secure a legal separation if possible, and besides a divorce she asks that the court award her the community property, the custody of the minor children, and a reasonable amount of alimony. Her plea will be heard by Judge Ellsworth in a few days.

WORSE AND WORSE.

The Spring Valley Company to Lay Another Pipe Under the Bay.

In answer to inquiries Charles Webb Howard of the Spring Valley Water Company said yesterday that the conduits from Alameda creek have a capacity of 18,000,000 gallons a day, but that amount is not used. As much water from this source as is required is pumped into the University Mound reservoir and is used to supply that portion of San Francisco lying near there. The amount is more than sufficient for the present needs of that section. The machinery and pipes to obtain this water, he said, had cost the company upwards of $2,000,000. Two submarine ten inch pipes cross the bay from Dumbarton point to a landing on the San Mateo county shore, and soon another pipe of the same size will be laid, which will increase the delivery to 10,000,000 gallons per day. The supply from Alameda creek is not used for Oakland, and he says the company has no intentions of extending pipes to this city.

FLUSH FUNDS.

Amounts That May Be Allowed by the Supervisors.

The Board of Supervisors will hold a regular meeting next Monday, and County Clerk Boardman has prepared a statement showing the amount which may be allowed on each of the funds, as follows:

County General	$24,081 00
Infirmary	15,643 94
General Road	5,661 97
Alvarado Road District	19 39
Altamont	984 76
Bay	747 12
Brooklyn	878 32
Claremont	459 84
Castro Valley	320 72
Centerville	6 76
Dublin	226 15
Fruit Vale	651 98
Mt. Eden	21 30
Mission	95 65
Murray	6 36
Newark	247 18
Niles	582 42
Ocean View	414 64
Peralta	850 81
Pleasanton	970 82
Palomares	195 10
Piedmont	356 77
San Lorenzo	922 35
Temescal	979 81
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Washington	25 90

Death of Mrs. P. O. Hundley.

Word has been received in Oakland of the death of Mrs. P. O. Hundley, wife of Superior Court Judge Hundley, at Oroville, Butte county. The deceased lady, who was greatly beloved by a large circle of friends, was the mother of Mrs. A. T. Buswell of this city and of Mrs. J. A. Dawson, formerly of this city.

An Aristocratic Neighborhood.

Coroner Evers made a little trip into the aristocratic Fifth ward and found in the vacant lot bounded by Twelfth, Thirteenth, Madison, and Jackson streets the body of a little baby, prematurely born, wrapped in a copy of the *Chronicle*. There was no clothing on the body and nothing to give any means of identification of the mother.

Opium Smokers.

Justice Snook has been doing a very fair business of late, and fees are beginning to improve. He had three opium smoking cases before him yesterday. The defendants were charged with keeping an opium den, but said that they lived there. Justice Snook found them guilty, however, and fined them $25 each.

A Tippling Woman.

Mrs. Francis Hart was brought to the City Prison again to-day drunk. It is only two days ago since she was in the Police Court to answer to a similar charge, and on promise of good conduct judgment was suspended.

He Follows Ignatius.

Henry Clarke Moore of Chicago will give a talk on Sir Francis Bacon as the author of Shakespearean plays, at the residence of Mrs. J. C. Campbell, 1129 Twelfth street, on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. Members of the Ebell Society and escorts are cordially invited.

From Vallejo to Oakland.

Young Men's Institute, No. 13, of Vallejo, will give a picnic at Shell Mound Park on Saturday, May 11th. The excursionists will be conveyed to the Oakland mole on a steamer, and then by special train to the park.

W. J. Colville's Lecture.

W. J. Colville will lecture in the Synagogue, Thirteenth and Clay streets, Sunday at 3 P. M. Subject: "The Coming of the Kingdom of God, and the Reign of the Prince of Peace on Earth." Seats are free, and everybody is welcome.

To Affiliate.

The Contra Costa Board of Supervisors has voted $25 per month to enable the County Board to affiliate with the State Board. E. B. Smith of Martinez was designated delegate.

Receipt of Heirs.

Mrs. Agnes D. Seaman and Hattie J. Griffin have given their receipt to the administrator of the estate of Ellen M. Griffin, deceased, having received their share of the estate.

A Minor's Money.

C. A. Hooper, guardian of the person and estate of J. J. Hooper, a minor, has filed his annual account, showing that he has received $1442 72 and paid out $830 44, leaving a remainder on hand of $612 28.

A Kindergarten Moved.

Miss Etta Prince has removed her kindergarten to the new Centennial Methodist Church, corner Ninth and Chester streets.

FRONT FEET.

Laying Out the Suburbs of a Great City.

Making More Frontage by a Change in a Map.

Dealers in Real Estate Anxious for Important Improvements to Begin as Soon as Possible.

The rain was pouring down in sheets the other day, and the clerks in a certain real estate office were discussing the probabilities of the market of the future with the head of the firm, when mention was made of a certain tract of land which had been placed on the market through the mediumship of the aforesaid agent, and this shows how a rainy day may change the contour of cities that are to be. "George," said the agent, "how many lots are in that —— tract?"

"Fourteen," responded the clerk.

"Now, George, show us the map." The map was produced, and showed a large oblong tract of country bordering on a creek near Oakland, through which a number of streets in serpentine windings, so as to give the largest number of "front feet" possible to each subdivision, were described.

"Let me see," mused the dealer in earth, "we are to get $11,200 for that tract, and the lots are to be 50x100. George, just draw a new map of this tract, and make the lots face east and west; you may also take out Pearl avenue and Alice street, and make the other two run crosswise, one to connect with the road over the bridge. That will give us how many lots?"

"Six more."

"Well, then, there is more profit, just busy yourself with that this afternoon, please," and the rain which fell in harmony with the drop of prices in the southern country was a mute witness to the transaction, which shows how cities are planned so as to contain the most "frontage," which is to a real estate agent what per diem is to the law makers.

The wet season is not a flourishing one for the real estate dealers, and that accounts in a measure for the quietude of the market at present. Then, again, politics has been the all absorbing topic for several months, and these two, coupled with the uncertainty of the new city charter, have played sad havoc with real estate transactions in Oakland. Probably no class of merchants are so exultant over the close of political strife for two years as these dealers. Rain puts a stop to bargains in sections of the earth, as nobody will look at a piece of property in a blinding rainstorm, such as has visited Oakland for the past week.

Just so with elections.

Since January last the Oakland real estate market has been very quiet. However, what demands have been made were all good ones and buyers at present are willing in most cases to pay what they are asked for property.

The local agents feel confident of a steady boom in lots during the coming season, and look forward with great favor to the improvements that are said to be on foot under the new city laws. An agent said yesterday that all Oakland needs to insure a steady increase in the real estate business is the commencement of a few needed improvements. The boulevard around Lake Merritt, the improvement of the north arm of the estuary below the Twelfth street dam, the West Oakland park, and better street car facilities, especially with East Oakland, and better means of communication with Highland Park and neighboring territory, and a cable railroad to Piedmont. Much could be accomplished by the issuance of bonds by the city, and he thought by the personnel of the new city authorities that these much desired advancements would certainly be realized. As it is now property on the line of improved sections of the city are the most active, while property much better is scarcely known, because people will not go out of the way of progress. A noticeable indication of this is the miraculous growth of the eastern portion of the city since the local trains have commenced running half hourly to Twenty-third avenue. Since that occurred houses by hundreds have gone up, and property in that neighborhood has advanced in price more than better land nearer the city proper. This land, together with that lying northward and back from East Oakland, is considered by agents to be the most healthy and valuable ground now in the corporate limits of the city, and all that is necessary to bring it into active demand and sale is better street car facilities. The same may be said of Piedmont. Since rumors of a cable railroad have been rife those who have contemplated buying have held back to ascertain what the course of the road is to be, and it is the same in all parts of the city.

Property in the northern and central portions of Oakland proper is always in good demand, while business property, as usual, is scarce. In fact, there is none on the market at present that is conveniently near the main business streets. Lots on Franklin and Washington streets are not for sale at any price, and the direction in which business will go from there is not known. Whether it will be extended northward or whether it will gradually absorb Webster and Clay streets is a problem that bothers more than one agent.

Suburban tracts are attracting considerable notice, and several transactions have been made out near Fruit Vale.

The agents are all anxious to see the city improved, and are all expecting to see bonds issued for the further improvement of the place within the next year. The amount of city property that is being exchanged for property in the interior of the State and in the East is not as large as has been up to recently. Indications point to an influx of Eastern people this summer in larger numbers than ever before, as several dealers are in receipt of letters inquiring about the city, its climate and school and church facilities. While the last few weeks have been exceedingly dull, indications are such that all the agents predict a demand for Oakland property in the near future such as the city has never before seen.

Among some of the largest transactions made recently may be mentioned the sale of three lots in the Butler tract to Ellen L. Neville for $1000. George W. Watson recently purchased a piece of property on Dwight way, 135x75, from Francis A. Bell, paying therefor $1750. Early last month Mary McCrum paid $10,000 for a piece of ground 100x103 at the corner of Fourteenth and Webster streets. James McElroy has lately acquired a piece of ground 25x110 on Linden street, near Fifth, which cost him $1800.

Alfred Wood bought from A. D. Cartwright a lot 50x50 at the southeast corner of Tenth and Castro streets, and paid $2000 for it.

E. W. Michaux paid $650 for a lot 35x100 in the Twenty-third avenue tract.

Charles F. Hart for $15,000 purchased twelve lots in the Vernon Park property, and W. R. Birmington bought three lots in the Watson tract for $3500.

WHO SHOT SCHREIBER?

Judge Henshaw Holds Officer McCloud to Answer for Manslaughter.

The bulk of the testimony taken in the preliminary examination of Officer McCloud for manslaughter, growing out of the killing of Jacob Schreiber, who had been arrested for drunkenness and was shot while running away from the officers, held before Police Judge Henshaw yesterday, showed that three shots had been fired at the fugitive; that the last one of the three was evidently the one that had inflicted the fatal wound, and that Officer McCloud was the man who had fired it. In summing up the case yesterday afternoon, after THE TRIBUNE had gone to press, Judge Henshaw said, after reviewing the testimony: "I am convinced beyond a reasonable doubt that the last shot which was fired that night caused the death of Schreiber, and that it was fired by the defendant. The question then arising is, Was the defendant justified in firing the shot?" Judge Henshaw then recited the rules of common law bearing upon the case, and cited Wharton to the effect that killing a prisoner charged with misdemeanor, under similar circumstances, was manslaughter. Bishop also coincided with this view. McCloud was, therefore, held to answer before the Superior Court to the charge of manslaughter, his bonds being fixed at $5,000. The bonds previously given by McCloud in that amount proving satisfactory he was released from custody.

To Promote Immigration.

An amendment has been made to the County Government act, which is of interest to the Board of Supervisors of this county. Subdivision 37 of section 25 of the act provides among the powers of the Board of Supervisors to appropriate from the general fund of the county, not to exceed the sum of $1000 in any one year, to aid in or carry on the work of inducing immigration thereto.

Appraisers' Report.

W. M. Gilcrest, Frank B. Ogden, and W. W. Jacobs have appraised the estate of Adam G. Lawrie, deceased, at $405, exclusive of cash.

DR. HOBB gave to the world the greatest good in the smallest compass when he offered Hobb's Little Vegetable Pills for the liver.

The Mayor's Dress.

The contest for Mayor is becoming more interesting as the time for the primaries draws near. A hint to the many candidates might help them in the fight. The gentleman who desires to be Mayor must wear a dress suit of clothes made by Joe Lancaster, the artist tailor, at the southeast corner of Tenth and Washington streets. A word to the wise should be sufficient. Mr Lancaster, no doubt, will be the Mayor's tailor.

A Judicial Opinion.

Hon. Jas. D. Gillin, Judge of the Eighth Judicial District of Iowa, says: "It gives me pleasure to recommend Chamberlain's Remedies, because I do so from actual experience in the use of them in my family. I refer particularly to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which I think unexcelled by any other." Sold by Weitman & Henry, 1170 Broadway.

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You can buy all your meats 20 per cent. cheaper at Samson's Market than in any other place in town. 477 Eleventh street.

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Personal.

ARRIVED AT LAST—W. H. PEIRCE & Co., Masonic Temple, Oakland, solo agents National Music Co. of Chicago have received a large consignment of sheet music, folios, music books and methods; sheet music 16 c; catalogues free; the York & Little Fisher Maiden, 10c.

A NEW CIGAR STORE—I WISH to call the public's attention to the fact that I have fitted up a first class cigar store at 628 East Twelfth street, with the best brands of cigars and tobaccos. F. E. BRUNKER, proprietor. SAM RADCLIFF, manager. fe2

ANNIE—MEET ME AT THE CALIFORNIA RESTAURANT, 454 Broadway, opposite the turntable, at 6 o'clock this evening, and we will get a good meal for 15 cents and upwards; small bottle of wine or beer 10 cents. DICK.

ATTENTION—DR. LIEBIG'S FEmale monthly pills and regulator; they are prompt and safe, never fail; beware of frauds. Genuine obtained only from MRS. DAVIES, 426 Kearny street, San Francisco $5 fel-o

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NOTICE—MY SON, JOE V. DIAS, having left his home, I, Manuel E. Dias, do hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any debt he may contract after this notice. March 14th, MANUEL V. DIAS, Alameda county, Brooklyn township. mr14-1wx

NOTICE—SOLOMON BAUMGARten will not be responsible for any debts contracted by his wife or daughter on or after this date. Oakland, March 11th, 1889. SOLOMON BAUMGARTEN, 407 Sixth street, Oakland. mr11-1wx

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THE PEOPLE'S FURNITURE Store, 413 Twelfth street, near Broadway, will sell household furniture of all kinds, carpets, etc., lower than any other firm in Oakland. Convince yourself by giving us a call. je17-o

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Spiritualism.

MRS. W. WEIR, TELEGRAPHIC medium, controlled by the late Mrs. Breed, the wonderful rapping medium, sittings daily; also a powerful magnetic healer; treats all kinds of chronic and acute diseases successfully. 1562 Seventh street, West Oakland, Center street station. ja21-xc

MRS. H. A. TURNER CLAIRVOYant, business and spirit medium, 560 Twenty-fourth street, Oakland; take Telegraph avenue cars.

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BYRON MAUZY, AGENT SOHMER, Opera, Newby, and Evans Pianos, Union Club Building, corner Post and Stockton streets, San Francisco; a few second hand pianos at bargains. oc15-o

WILLIAM G. BADGER, AGENT for Hallett & Davis Co. pianos, removed to 17 Post st., San Francisco. no14-o

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LOST—THE PERSON WHO TOOK a silk umbrella with a black horn handle, by mistake from the money department of Oakland Postoffice on Thursday, March 14, will please return the same to the Postmaster. mr15-1wx

LOST—RUBBER COAT, BROWN, with blue plush collar, on 7:35 A. M. train to city; return to 422 Twelfth street, WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY. mr16-1wx

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The Branch Line From Felton to Boulder Creek.

Bridges Moved and the Road Beds Softened—Reminiscences of Other Storms.

The rain has been falling alike upon the broad and narrow gauge roads, and the South Pacific Coast Railroad has come in for a share of the trouble.

The main line has become hardened to the attacks of the weather and the roadbed is pretty well settled, but it is the Boulder Creek branch that suffers. This branch is built along a water-course, and as soon as a heavy rain comes it is sure to suffer. In the heavy freshet of Wednesday the roadbed was damaged in some degree, but the bridges were injured the most.

Near the junction with the main line at Felton there are two bridges. On Tuesday and Wednesday the creek rose by the freshet, and brought down with it a large quantity of drift wood from the mills above. This wood locked in the bridges and threw one of them out of line and carried away a portion of the other. This prevented the trains from making connection with the main line directly, but they were enabled, by use of the side tracks, to bring the trains within a short distance of the main line and then transfer the contents to another train. This was done on Wednesday, and on Thursday the bridges were again fixed so that trains could connect.

Landslides are of rare occurrence now, as the rains of many winters have made the banks solid as a rock. In some few places, however, there are overhanging ledges that are affected when there is an unusually heavy fall of rain. On Wednesday one of these ledges near the sixth tunnel caved down and buried the track for some distance, but after some five hours' work it was cleared, and there has been no obstruction since that time.

Yesterday afternoon Train Dispatcher A. H. Walker, at the Alameda mole, received information that the barometer had fallen to 29.34 inches, which was the lowest that it had reached for the last fifteen years. Obeying this indication of a big storm that was coming he issued orders to all agents along the line to have every car that was side tracked at their station carefully cared for, the brakes set tight, and to have them blocked at each end. This was done in anticipation of a wind storm and to prevent any cars from being ditched or blown along the track.

The rainfall at Boulder Creek for the season up to yesterday afternoon was 36.80 inches, or over three feet.

Mr. Walker says that the rains of this year have come in exactly the same way that they did in 1883, when so much damage was done to the then newly opened South Pacific Coast Railroad.

"The rain began in the early part of March, and kept up in regular, steady, uninterrupted storms during the whole month," said Mr. Walker. "The road had only been in operation through to Santa Cruz for a few years, and we had no hard winters to settle the roadbed and the cuts. The mountains were full of cuts and tunnels, all of which were new. Then came the big rains of 1883, and from the 1st of March to the 28th we ran but one train over the road between Oakland and Santa Cruz. All the other trains stopped at Los Gatos, unable to go any further. That was the year when I became disgusted with railroading. Everything was against us. The road was damaged so badly that it did seem as if we would never get a train over it again. In many places the road bed was washed away so that it would be impossible to tell that there had ever been a road there. I am afraid that we are going to have more weather like that of '83, but of course the road is now in good condition and we will have no trouble such as we had then."

Conductor Colegrove is the oldest conductor of the South Pacific Coast Railroad, and he can tell some stories of the big washouts of 1883 on that road. "For seventeen days I ran a work train over that road until I had got it thoroughly cleared up. I got the road open one day, and the train from Oakland got through to Santa Cruz, and the Santa Cruz train got through to Oakland. The two freights that were on each side of the washouts were also got through after waiting for over two weeks. Then here came up another storm, and washed everything out, and for seventeen more days I worked on that road, until I was able to get a train through from Oakland without trouble. Those were awful days for this road. It was new, and the road through the mountains was full of tunnels, cuts, and fills, and after the first storm you could not have told where the road had been. Not a trace was left of it, not even the grade. Great masses of earth, mixed with stumps, tangled grass, logs, trees, and boulders, fell upon the track, and we had a force of a hundred men at work continually for a month clearing away the track. Trees and stumps made it hard work.

"That was not a circumstance to the great floods in that valley just thirteen years ago this winter. That was before this road was built, and the Southern Pacific had just built the road into Watsonville. This road was just in running order when the storm came, and for six weeks not a train could be run over the road. Just before you get to Watsonville there is a big sand cut, and that filled up entirely. I was staging over the mountains from San Jose to Santa Cruz at the time, and the stages were stopped, and for weeks I had to take the mail over the mountains on horseback. That was the only way that Santa Cruz had to communicate with the outside world during that storm, and often for five and six days at a time there would be no way of communication at all. In those days there was only the Watsonville road, the steamers, and the road across the mountains on horseback. Some friend of mine wanted to get home to Santa Cruz from San Francisco. The railroad was blockaded, and so they thought that they would trust to the steamers. But the steamers will not land at Santa Cruz when there is a strong southeast wind blowing, for the surf is too heavy. They refused to land my friends, but took them on to Monterey. They had already waited several days at San Francisco, and then they found themselves tied up at Monterey, because everything between that town and Santa Cruz had been washed out. The result was that it was many days before they got home.

"That year all the rivers from the mountains overflowed, and covered the Santa Clara valley, until it looked like one vast lake of water. The town of San Jose was flooded, and you could stand on the Courthouse roof and look over the valley and could see the valley covered with water in every direction. For twenty-four hours at one time not a person passed between the towns of San Jose and Santa Clara on account of the water. Those were the days when you could talk about rain."

W. C. T. U.

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The regular meetings of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union are the second and fourth Mondays of the month at 2 P. M. in the lecture room of the First Methodist Church, corner of Fourteenth and Clay streets. All ladies interested in the temperance reform are most earnestly invited to be present.

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Mothers, to the Rescue.

Those who wonder why mothers are banding together in the Woman's Christian Temperance Union for the utter destruction of the liquor traffic can find the answer to their query in the following incident from the *Union Signal*:

"If murder consists in killing with malice aforethought,' what shall we call the crime perpetrated by the villain who figures in the subjoined account from Covington, Neb.? Can a more demoniacal exhibition of cruelty and revenge be found? This saloon keeper was driven from his vile business in Iowa by prohibition, and in a high license State seeks to make amends for the loss of his intended victims.

"Will not fathers and mothers take alarm from this openly confessed warfare upon their innocent children, when they reflect that thousands of just such human spiders are lying in wait for the unsuspecting on every corner and in every alley of our large cities, as well as in the smaller towns? There is no sure remedy but the utter demolition of these spider webs. The extract is taken from the *Northwestern Christian Advocate*:

"Your correspondent was in one of these gin mills when a young lad 8 or 9 years of age, entered with popcorn. He was a bright, handsome little fellow, very talkative, and soon made known his business. The man behind the bar, a big, coarse looking brute, offered to purchase a dime's worth of his corn provided the little fellow would take his pay in drinks. The boy told him that he did not drink liquors; that he gave his money to his mother to help buy bread and clothes for himself and a little sister, three years younger than himself. The saloon man finally bought two papers of popcorn and gave the boy ten cents, who started on his way toward the door. The bartender called him back, and taking about three tablespoonfuls of whisky, sugar, and hot water, mixed it up, and prevailed upon the boy to drink it, telling him it was good for colds. In answer to the question as to whether he liked it, the little blue eyes sparkled as he answered "You bet," and departed. The fiend explained his object by saying: "You see, the prohibition cranks and church fanatics are all doing all in their power to injure us, and unless we continue making drunkards of the young, they will soon have them all on their side. If that boy keeps on selling corn and blacking shoes on this side of the river, it will not be three weeks until he will buy drinks of me. They learn easy when young," and he laughed heartily. The blear eyed scoundrel went on to enumerate the many boys he had taught to drink in the same way, one of whom was the 6 year old boy of a widow at Le Mars, Ia. This one, he said, he taught purely through spite. The mother of the little fellow had prosecuted him for selling liquor to her husband prior to his death, and he punished her by teaching her child to like the taste of liquor, and at 14 years he was a confirmed drunkard, and at 17 he died.

Oh my brother, you who hold the ballot, we plead with you for the millions of youth whose fair young manhood every liquor dealer considers his legitimate prey. We plead for the millions of mothers in our land who have gone to the very gates of death for each and every one of these dear boys. These mothers who have worked and watched and waited and suffered and prayed that these their children might grow up an honor to them and the country which our American women love so well. Have the mothers not been true and noble citizens—have they not risked their life and suffered agony worse than death to make our Republic what it is? Have they not given years of toil and suffering and patience to rear these boys to noble manhood, and yielded them—the costliest gift they could—an offering to our country? And how does our Government reward these mothers? One would think the giver were thanked and the gift were worth preserving. But no! our Government takes this costliest gift and tramples it in the dust. It takes these boys, fair and fresh and noble, from their mothers' hands, and tempts them by this cursed liquor traffic to ruin themselves body and soul. It protects by law a class of men who, for the sake of *personal gain*, fit up in beauty and elegance these dens of death, and making them attractive with light and beauty and flowers and music and games, appeal to the very strongest passions of our youth to lure and entice them to their deadly ruin. And our Government *licenses* this. Oh, my country! My country! You take these dear boys which we, the mothers, have baptized in the crimson tide of our life blood in the sacred presence of the angel of death—whom we have christened with the hot tears of agony wrung from the deepest fountain of the soul, whom we have consecrated to you by long weary years of toil and prayer, and sell them body, mind, and soul to this demon rum for the paltry sum of $70,000,000. Six hundred thousand of our boys you sell every twelve months for $100 apiece. This precious gift of blood and tears and prayers is worth to our government only $100. Oh, fathers, this is inhuman auction of your boys.

M. G. C. E.

FOR IMPROVEMENT.

A Petition for Paving Lower Franklin Street Lacks Seventy-five Feet.

L. E. Chartrand, School Director elect from the Sixth ward, has been hard at work for the last two months trying to obtain the necessary signatures to a petition to have Franklin street from Seventh to the water front paved with bituminous rock. The frontage necessary to make the petition of avail is 1400 feet, and Mr. Chartrand, after two months of hard work, has succeeded in obtaining all of this amount except seventy-five feet. Franklin street has already been paved with bitumen from Fourteenth street to Seventh street, and for that distance is the finest street in the city. Mr. Chartrand's object is now to have the bitumen extended to the water front, and make the street without exception, the best in the city. Lower Franklin street is in miserable condition, being full of holes, and one mass of mud in wet weather, and dust in summer. It would be a great improvement, and would greatly enhance the value of the property fronting on the street. The petition is so nearly complete that it is a shame that it cannot be completed by obtaining a signature for the remaining seventy-five feet of frontage.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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City of Puebla	Victoria	March 18
Alejandro	Mexico	March 18
Australia	Honolulu	March 19
Oregon	Portland	March 19

TO DEPART.

NAME.	FOR.	DATE.
Willamette Valley	Yaquina Bay	March 17
Wilmington	Port Townsend	March 18
Queen of the Pacific	San Diego*	March 18
Columbia	Portland	March 18
Belgic	China & Japan	March 20
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Schr Norah Blum, Moore, Mahukona; J D Spreckels & Bros.

Barque Mary Ellen, McLean, Victoria; A McLean.

Sailed.

FRIDAY, March 15th.

Stmr Santa Maria, Hughes, Yaquina Bay.

Stmr State of California, Ackley, Portland.

☞ NOTICE—For births, marriages, and deaths too late for this column see fifth or eighth page.

BORN.

HOBSON—In San Francisco, March 8, to the wife of George M. Hobson, a daughter.
RYAN—In San Francisco, March 11, to the wife of Harry Ryan, a daughter.
LANGE—In Napa, March 11, to the wife of W. Lange, a daughter.
NEWBAUER—In Calistoga, March 14, to the wife of S. W. Newbauer, a son.
ZIMMERMAN—March 15, to the wife of K. A. Zimmerman, a daughter.
MANNERS—March 12, to the wife of Theodore Manners, a daughter.

MARRIED.

WOODMANSEE-SNEDECKER — In San Francisco, March 11, Alfred Woodmansee and Mary Snedecker.
BRANDT-COX—In San Francisco, March 13, F. L. Brandt and Emma Cox.
SCHNEIDER-LOWENFELD—In San Francisco, March 10, Isaac Steindler and Hattie Lowenfeld.
HEATH-SOUTERIOUS—In Los Gatos, Mar. 13, Daniel Martin Heath and Henrietta Amelia Souterious.
HIGGINS-WASHBURN—February 27, Charles C. Higgins and Jennie S. Washburn.
THEVE-SELZER—March 10, Marcus Theve and Fannie Selzer.

DIED.

LORD—In this city, March 13, John Lord, a native of Massachusetts, aged 50 years, 8 months, and 13 days.
SPENCER—In San Antonio, Tex., March 11, Margaret Spencer, aged 4 years.
FOLDOR—In East Oakland, Ole Johanne Foldor, a native of Norway, aged 18 years, 1 month, and 1 day.
NIHEN—In San Francisco, March 15, Ellen Nihen, a native of Ireland, aged 60 years.
FEINE—In San Francisco, March 14, Helen Feine, a native of New Brunswick, aged 28 years.
COSGRIFF—In San Francisco, March 15, Minnie G. Cosgriff, a native of San Francisco, aged 20 years.
McGUADE—In San Francisco, March 15, Katie J. McGuade.
CHEESMAN—In San Francisco, March 15, Morton Cheesman, aged 65 years.
INGEMUNDSEN—In Napa, March 14, Captain Peter Ingemundsen, a native of Norway, aged 64 years, 10 months and 13 days.
MATHIEN—In San Francisco, March 14, Leslie Mathien, a native of Oakland, aged 3 years.
BURLE—In Rochester, N. Y., March 14, Mrs. C. N. Buell, aged 89 years.
MOSES—In Rochester, N. Y., March 13, Shuyler Moses, aged 90 years, 2 months and 13 days.
WOOD—In the City and County Hospital, San Francisco, March 14, Bernard Wood, a native of New York, aged 60 years.
HASEKAWA—In the City and County Hospital, San Francisco March 14, Gutte Hasekawa, a native of Japan, aged 35 years.
SCHULTZ—In the City and County Almshouse, San Francisco, March 15, Peter Schultz, a native of Holland, aged 78 years.

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The Level City Heeding the Oakland Political Lesson.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid Society will give an entertainment next Monday evening in St. Joseph's Hall.

Charles W. Damon, the city street sprinkler, has returned from a visit to South Hanson, Mass., his old home.

The parents of Ambrose Powell, the 6 year old boy who met his death by drowning last Thursday, are distressingly bereaved. All hopes of recovering the body have been abandoned.

The convention of citizens to nominate a municipal ticket will probably be held next Friday evening. It will be called by E. K. Taylor and E. P. Peckham, Presidents of the Republican and Democratic clubs respectively.

Interest in the coming municipal election seems to have suddenly died out. The slatemakers, however, are silently working, and a crop of new candidates is expected to boom up next week.

The California Building and Loan Association has been organized a little more than a year, during which time it has effected twelve loans, amounting to $26,000. It is in a flourishing financial condition.

Derby Lodge, No. 9, Sons of St. George, has been instituted with the following officers: Past President, J. Nield; President, T. W. Woolett; Vice President, Thomas Jarvis; Secretary, Charles Stephenson; Assistant Secretary, D. R. Coldwell; Treasurer, T. P. Winter; Medical Examiner, Dr. C. G. Bud.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

The Topics Upon Which the Pastors Will Preach.

A lecture by W. Corrie Johnston on "The Mystery" will be given in the hall, 375 Tenth street, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and an evangelistic address at 7:30 in the evening.

Rev. S. Goodenough will preach on "Salvation; What, When, and Where" at the Universalist Chapel to-morrow morning.

Rev. George W. Sweeney, pastor of the Christian Church, corner of Fifteenth and Market streets, will preach to-morrow at 11 A. M., on "Riches and Rich People, or the Power and Peril of Our Possessions." He will preach at 7:30 P. M. on "Thomas Paine and the Apostle Paul: What They Thought and Did for the World."

At the Tenth avenue Baptist Church the pastor, Rev. J. Herndon Garnett will continue in the evening his series of lectures on "The Church To-day." Special subject for the evening, "Modern Missions a Failure." There will be a special service of song by a large chorus choir, using the Gospel Hymns No. 5. Baptism at close of service.

At the First Presbyterian Church the pastor, Rev. Dr. Horton, will preach at both services. The second in a series of Lenten meditations will be the subject at the morning service, "An Easy Fitting Religion." In the evening to the weary, troubled, and mourning words of cheer and comfort "Like as an Eagle Stirreth up Her Nest."

Church of Christ, A. Coplin, pastor worshiping in Medical College building, Clay street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets. Sunday services as follows: Sunday school 9:45 A. M., preaching 11 A. M., Bible reading and testimony service 7:30 P. M., prayer meeting Thursday evening.

CHARLESTON PHOSPHATE BEDS.

Remarkable Geologic Formation Near the Palmetto Capital.

The phosphate beds of Charleston have proved of great value to the place says a writer in the New York *Commercial Advertiser*, and they have more than compensated for the gradual loss of the cotton trade, which has gone largely to the cities north or to Savannah on the south. These beds and the great "Ashley fish basin" are the most wonderful and inexplicable formations known to geologists. The deposits consist of nodules of phosphate of lime thickly interspersed with the huge bones and teeth of antediluvian mammalia and marine mammoth of gigantic proportions. The mastodons, giant baboons, prodigious gorillas, lizards thirty-three feet long, and other huge graminivorous and carnivorous quadrupeds have been found lying in the same bed with briny leviathans, voracious marine vultures, and other monsters of the deep. The beds have been styled by Agassiz as the "greatest curiosity of the world," and they constitute by far the most valuable fertilizer known to man since the exhaust on of the Peruvian guano deposits. That they are an almost inexhaustible source of wealth to the whole State may well be judged, and thousands of people are engaged in getting the fertilizer to market. The amount of trade in phosphate rock in Charleston amounts to several million dollars a year, and it is increasing steadily year by year, as the demand for the fertilizers becomes more general throughout the world. The deposits underlie a vast region of the country, thirty miles wide and seventy miles in length.

Scientists differ as to the origin of this great deposit and in their estimation of the quantities of rock contained in the deposit. The rock forms the bed of many rivers leading to the ocean and crops out of the land in many points. The river deposits are mined with crowbar, pick, and dredges. The land rock is excavated with pick and shovel, and is found in a seam ranging in thickness from three to thirty inches, at a depth of about ten feet below the surface of the ground. The country in which the rock is found is generally level, and the soil is soft and moist. The rock is sounded for by a long, sharp pointed steel rod. When rock is struck from six to ten feet below the surface a test pit is sunk to test the thickness of the stratum and to find if the rock will analyze up to the standard.

From the mines the rocks are hauled in dumping cars to the washers. The rock is here crushed into pieces of uniform size. It then falls into troughs or tubs resting on an incline. In each of these tubs an octagonal shaft, cased in iron and set with blades or flukes, revolves, which turns the rock around and forces it out of the tubs upon screens. While in the tubs it is subjected to a continuous and powerful stream of water which cleans it of all foreign matter.

Another Pioneer Gone.

The death of Willard Whipple occurred at Farmington on Monday last, after an illness lasting nearly a year. The deceased was one of the fast decreasing legion of those who came to this State in the "year of '49," having arrived in San Francisco via the straits of Magellan on the old steamer Senator October 26th of that year. He has since been constantly identified with the history of the bay counties, and for the past few years has resided at the place where his death occurred. He was a member of the Association of California Pioneers and during his lifetime built up a large circle of warm personal friends, who will sincerely mourn his loss. He was 77 years of age.

FLOOD AND HIS FRIENDS.

How He Helped Them to Riches That They Afterward Lost.

New York Letter to Philadelphia Press.

James C. Flood, the millionaire mine owner who died in Heidelberg quite recently, was even tongued, cool, calculating, patient, and courageous. Like most men of his temperament, he made but few friends. It was hard to gain his confidence. But he never permitted an opportunity to go by to help the few who were his friends.

While Flood was still dispensing liquor over the bar of his saloon in San Francisco he was a member of a volunteer hook and ladder company. When he became a power in the stock market he did not forget the associates who had been members of the fire company or patrons of his saloon. One by one they dropped the reins of the horse car, gave up their beds, yielded to whatever might be called the badge of honest toil and began to frequent the pavements about the Stock Exchange. They were at first ill at ease in their new station, but they acquired one good habit from Flood, the silent, golden Irishman—they did not talk too much. They never missed a chance to talk of Flood's virtues, but had nothing to say about his business.

When in 1873 the Big Bonanza was uncovered in the Comstock lode and Flood and his partner began the manipulation which made them so rich and then so poor, Flood and his associates still remembered their old friends and their fortunes went sailing skyward too. To help them along Flood did far more than his share. He lent money to some, carried stocks for others, and made all richer than they had ever dreamed of being, but their riches, easily got, easily went, and to-day but few of them have anything left. J. M. Walker was one of the men who profited most by the Big Bonanza deal. Now his mansion in Oakland is a hospital, while his daughter, once such a belle, now the divorced wife of a clerk, was two years ago playing minor parts in a small theater. Dennis McCarthy was once city editor of the San Francisco *Chronicle*, and he was let into the secret to the extent of winning $100,000. He is dead, and left only a small estate. Joseph Goodman published the Virginia City *Enterprise*, and his friendship for the bonanza firm got him information which resulted in the accumulation of at least $750,000. He felt that he must have at least an even million, and he went into stock speculation after the collapse of the big bonanza deal. When last heard from he was raising raisins on a little ranch near Fresno, and would probably be satisfied with any fortune that could be represented by five figures. Pat Crowley was Chief of Police of San Francisco. He profited by his intercourse with Flood to the extent of $425,000. His ambition was only half as large as that of Mr. Goodman, as he wanted only $500,000. He followed in the footsteps of the editor, and is again a policeman.

Flood had a fancy for fast trotting horses and Pete Finnegan was his driver. Peter got his horse in first once in such a clever manner that several brokers "went broke" betting against it. Mr. Finnegan had a "tip" on the big Bonanza which sent Consolidated Virginia up to an unheard of figure. He also had sense. He kept his money and built one of the finest houses on Nob Hill, and became the chief patron of the turf on the Pacific coast.

Mr. Flood's fortune, though greatly reduced, is still large enough for an ordinary individual to look after, and will be divided between James L. Flood, his son, and Jennie Flood, his daughter. She was once engaged to Ulysses Grant Jr., who afterwards married the daughter of Jerome B. Chaffee of Colorado. She has already $5,000,000 in her own right.

A Pretty San Francisco Girl.

Washington Critic.

A pretty girl who has attracted much attention at the Ebbitt House, and wherever she has appeared in Washington society, is Miss Perrin of San Francisco. Miss Perrin has a beautiful figure, being tall, willowy, and endowed with the dreamy grace of a Cleopatra. She dresses with exquisite taste, and no one in Washington wears handsomer or more tasteful gowns. She is a girl of great artistic endowments, and she knows how to give her art a practical turn in the matter of having beautiful costumes designed for her. Miss Perrin is a brunette, and has clear, frank blue eyes, which add much to her natural charm of manner and sweetness of address. She has a capacity for making friends which has drawn to her side a great many admirers since her sojourn in Washington.

Unitarian View of the Bible.

Rev. C. W. Wendte will consider, in his sermon to-morrow morning, the "Unitarian View of the Authenticity and Inspiration of the Bible." The subject will be further discussed at the Bible class which meets after the morning service. All, young men especially, are invited.

A Merchant's Divorce.

A divorce suit was commenced in the Superior Court this morning on the grounds of cruelty. The complaint alleges that the defendant who, is a popular young merchant in Oakland, had caused this rupture in the family by not taking his wife's advice when the house was furnished to go to HENRY SCHELLHAAS, the popular furniture King for his household goods. The matter so preyed upon her mind that she could not bear the sight of the different rooms and so proceedings for a divorce were commenced. When a person once tries SCHELLHAAS, at the corner of Eleventh and Franklin streets, he will be satisfied with nothing else.

Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy.

Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy, a marvelous cure for catarrh, diphtheria, canker mouth, and headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious Nasal Injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge. Price 50 cents. Sold by Osgood Bros., N. E. corner Seventh and Broadway.

Do You Know

That Thomas & Schmidt have opened a new cigar store at 970 Broadway, where they carry all standard brands of cigars and tobaccos.

Gossamers and Umbrellas

At half price to close out at J. S. Gilmore & Co.'s, 13th and Washington streets.

CLOSING out sample bugies below cost on account of removal, at EVANS HARNESS SHOP, 1318 Telegraph avenue and 1317 Broadway.

FRUIT trees in great variety. Now is the time to plant. Roses and flowering plants, seeds and flowers at Hutchison's Nursery depot, near the Postoffice.

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SAN FRANCISCO, March 16.

UNITED STATES BONDS

	Bid	Ask		Bid	Ask
Ctfs. 4's	129½	—	4½s	107½	—
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MISCELLANEOUS BONDS

C C W C	103	103	N R Roads	116½	118½
Dupont st	101	—	Oakland G		
Metst RR	126¾	—	L & H Co	102½	—
Mkt & Px	95	—	S P R R	114¾	—
Montgy A	30	42½	S P Br RR	104½	104¾
N V & M Co	50	103	S P Ariz	105	—
Pac O R R	121	—	S V W 6s	129½	124
N Jo nr G	98	—	do 6s 4s	94	96½

North Pacific Coast R R 99. 102

RAILROAD STOCKS

Central	29	—	N R & M	86	—
City	80	—	Omnibus	46¾	—
California	—	107	Presidio	—	42½
Geary	115	130			

WATER STOCKS

Sng Valy	87½	88	Contr Cost	91	93½
Blue Lk	64	69	Marin City	—	51

GAS STOCKS

Capital	53	—	Pac Lig C	55½	56
Central	76	92½	San Fran	52½	60
Oakland	34½	35	Stockton	—	47½
Pac Imp	—	67	Los Ang	34½	35

BANK STOCKS

Al Pof Cl	98	75	First Natl	150	—
Bk Cal	222½	—	L Pris & A	—	113½
Cal Sfe Dp			Pacific	165	155
Cal Tst Co	44	52½	Mrchs Ex	18	—

INSURANCE STOCKS

Actn Nv	96	96½	Home Mtl	150	160
California	130	133	Sta Invst	78	79
Commrcl	121	—	Union	109½	110
Frm's Fd	142	—			

POWDER STOCKS

Atlc Dyn	—	50	Giant Nitro	8½	9
California	160	—	Vigorit	3½	8½
Giant	61	—			

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS

C A Stc C	85c	—	Ocn S S Co	96½	97½
C Pt Co	18	18½	Pacific U		
C E W Ks	8½	9½	S F & So	—	60
H Cml C	34½	34¾	Pac Indic	—	5c
Judh M C	—	9½	P T & N C	—	105
Mkt St Ex	100	—	P Rlng M	95	105
O Art & Co	40	—	Pa W & C Co	22½	26½

SALES THIS A. M.

25 S V Water 88
25 Hawaiian 34½
50 Cal E Light 18
1000 S V W bonds, 6s 123¾

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100 Cal E Light 18½
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5 Safety Nitro Powder 9
20 " " 9
10 S V Water 87½
50 Vigorit Powder 7½

MINING STOCK REPORT.

San Francisco, March 16 1889

MORNING SALES—REGULAR SESSION.

10	Alta	2 15	200	Mono	75
200	Baltimore	45	200	Navajo	1 00
200	Bodie	1 45@1 50	100	N B Tey	2 55
200	Chal C	6 25	200	Ophir	6 12½
200	Challar	2 55	50	Orman	1 50
100	Con Virginia	5	200	Peerless	55
200	C C & V	80	200	Potosi	2 25
100	C P	80@84	85	100	Savage 2 90
100	Dudley	20	200	Scorpion	55
100	Gould & Curry	2 70	150	S S & MC	2 95
100	Grand Prize	75	50	Sierra Nev	3 15
200	Hale & Nor	3 75	100	Utah	1 30
200	Justice	1 55	400	W Cliff	25
200	Mexico	3 75@3 80	120	Yellow J	3 55@3 00

DEEDS AND MORTGAGES.

Specially reported up to noon each day for The Tribune.

DEEDS.

SATURDAY, March 16th.

J. H. Fritch, by assignee, et al., to George H. Striker—Lot 12, block 8, Graves & Taylor tract, Berkeley ..... $ 5
Sophia J. Dodge to Lydia J. Crane—E ½ of N ½ of NE ¼ section 9, township 3 south, range 2 east ..... Gift
Peter Funde to C. A. Christensen—Subdivision A, lot 3, block 794, Watts tract, Oakland 525
G. W. Lewis to J. P. Taylor—Lot 12, block 8, Graves & Taylor tract, Berkeley, quitclaim 5
Joseph Spear to H. B. Spear, his wife—Lot 30, block 14, College homestead, Berkeley ..... Gift
Noah Kersey to Caroline F., wife of E. Bigelow—Lot 10, Cameron tract, Oakland 5
Cecile Seiberlich et al. to C. T. Johns—NW corner Oak and Fourth streets, W 150x100, Oakland 10
F. K. Shattuck to J. G. Leilert Jr.—S Blake, 475 E from Fulton, E 120.53, S 270, W 120.53, N 270, Berkeley 1625
I. A. Henderson to J. L. Scotchler—Lot 5, block C, Claremont tract, Oakland township 10
William Schultz to Peter Lock—Undivided ½ lot 25, block 2110, Alden tract at Temescal 5
T. H. Kelly and wife to J. P. Michelson—Lot 11, block B, Paradise Park, Oakland township 10
L. E. Hardy to Flora W. Snee—Lot 14, Hardy tract, Oakland township 350
A. C. Henry to Victor H. Metcalf—S Walnut, 50 E from Webster, E 50x102, Oakland 1200
Charles F. Whitton to E. C. Brockway—Lots 8 10, to Whitton tract, Berkeley 10

MORTGAGES.

SATURDAY, March 9th.

Abbie G. Chapman to Oakland Bank of Savings—As in deed ..... $ 500
C. A. Christensen to Peter Funder—As in deed 525
A. G. Forsberg to P. E. Hagglund—S Fourteenth, 58½ E from Union, E 25x100, Oakland 600
A. E. Giles and wife to A. B. Wells—NW Seventh avenue, 100 SW from East Eleventh street, SW 50xNW 150, Oakland 1000
Charles T. Wilkinson and wife to Union Savings Bank—Lots 3 and 4, block A, Hillegass tract, Oakland township 3000
I. C. Cleveland to Same—E Chestnut, 213½ N from Twelfth, N 25x150, Oakland 1000
J. L. Scotchler to D. A. Henderson—As in deed 225
Nils Asberg to Union Savings Bank—W. Bert, 150 S from Eighth, S 50x100, Oakland 1100
Daniel Inman to Oakland Bank of Savings—300.48 acres, portion plot 10, Rancho El Valle de San Jose, and 52½ acres, portion Santa Rita Rancho, Murray township 25,000
W. H. Freeman to Asa Fisk—S Seward, 121 W from Campbell, W 38x80, Oakland 400
J. F. Michelson to West Oakland Mutual Loan Association—Lot 11, block D, Paradise Park, Oakland township 1500
L. Casey and wife to Benjamin Healey—Lot 47, block 26, M. A. Fitch Homestead, Alameda 500
Hans Hansen to C. S. Martin—Lots 22 to 27, block 74, northern addition to Brooklyn 1400
Merrill Winsor to Oakland Bank of Savings—NE East Twenty-second street, 200 NW from Nineteenth avenue, NW 100x140, Oakland 770
John P. Kelly to Homestead Loan Association—Lot 5, block 2, Barker tract, Berkeley 400
Jane Henderson to Same—E 26 feet, lot 11, and W 22 feet, lot 10, block C, James tract, Berkeley 1200
Robert Hickmott and wife to C. Windsor—8.25 acres at intersection Dublin road and road from Haywards to Moraga valley; also 27.51 acres on Castro Valley creek, Eden township 3500
John P. Cahill to B. McFadden—E West, 75 S from Twenty-eighth, S 25x90, Oakland 185

The Verdict of the People.

The largest grocery store in Oakland is that of John Cushing & Son, at the corner of Ninth and Washington streets. Here a score of clerks are kept busy waiting on customers and attending to orders from the country, for the business of these gentlemen extends as far in the interior as Stockton. They are direct importers of everything in their line that is foreign to the home market and by their system of renewing goods every month everything is always fresh. They make a specialty of importing the most rare delicacies to be procured in the markets of the world and it may be safely said that there is nothing good to eat that cannot be found on their shelves. One of their specialities is sweet Eastern cider so hard to find in California. They make a specialty of preparing baskets for overland trips and excursions and do quite a business in that branch of the trade. They estimate that nearly one third of the people in Oakland buy their goods at that place and the business is continually increasing. If Oakland people want groceries that are fresh at the lowest market price they cannot fail to patronize John Cushing and Sons.

The Storm.

The rain has been falling for about a week now and there is no sign of let up yet, and fear of considerable damage prevails in many parts of the city, so it is in the life of everybody if you are temporary embarrassed and out of money call at the old and reliable Oakland Loan Office, 1162 Broadway.

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Auction Sale To-night.

Auction sale every evening of beautiful oil paintings in elegant gilt frames; 20 oil paintings given away to ladies, each evening; sale commences at 7:30 at 1226 San Pablo avenue, M. Max Marcuse, auctioneer. Frames made to order regardless of cost.

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$10 Per Foot.

I have a choice lot on Thirty-fourth street, near Telegraph avenue, and another on Grove street, northwest corner, for sale at above price. FREDERICK GETCHELL, 891 Ninth street.

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We have a few pairs of Nottingham curtains left. Some slightly damaged at half price. Call and see them at J. S. Gilmore & Co.'s, 13th & Wash'g on sts.

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Spiritualism.

Mrs. C. J. Meyer and Mrs. Finnegan, will occupy the platform to-morrow evening at Fraternity Hall, Seventh and Peralta streets in giving tests; spirit names given in full. Meeting commences at 7 o'clock.

Notice.

The undersigned having purchased the Henry House at 462 Ninth street wishes to notify the public that he has thoroughly renovated and refurnished the house and is prepared to receive those who wish first class accomodation. C. E. EATON, Proprietor.

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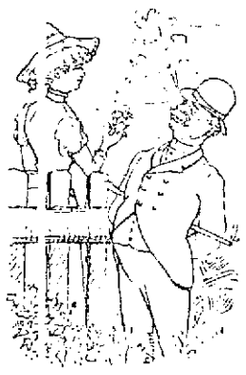

We have been utilizing the past few damp days for what you might call a "philanthropic" purpose. We selected about 250 Boys' suits, worth all the way from $7.50 to $9, and inaugurated "A SPECIAL $5 BOY'S SUIT SALE." These are strictly all wool cassimeres, Scotch tweeds, worsteds, etc., in solid color and mixed patterns, fancy silk mixtures, plain black, blue, etc. To see, means to buy one.

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We have a good Canopy Top Perambulator, rep lined, with curtains, for $5 50; well worth $9 00.

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Episcopal Missions in the Neighborhood of Oakland—Subjects of Sunday Sermons.

Sam Jones, the singular evangelist, will make but one publi appearance in Oakland. On the evenin g of Saturday, March 23d, at 8 o'clock, at the First Congregational Church he will deliver a lecture upon the em ihatic subject, "Get There!" The lecturer has been induced to come here by the Rev. T. A. Atkinson, and the proceeds of the lecture will be applied to the parsonage fund of Asbury Method.st Church.

THE CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

Rev. Samuel B. Bell, D. D., of Kansas City, who left Oakland twenty-seven years ago, and who has recently returned to witness the wonderful changes that have taken place during his absence, will give an interesting address on Sunday afternoon in Association Hall to young men. All who are interested in reminiscences of pioneer days should attend.

The usual social will be held in the association parlor this evening to welcome young men who are strangers in the city.

The Sixth District Convention of Young Men's Christian Associations of Northern California will be held at Sacramento April 5th, 6th, and 7th. Rev. F. A. Horton of this city will attend and make the opening address.

EPISCOPAL MISSIONS.

Among many acts of kindness which Trinity Mission, Haywards, has to acknowledge, is the gift of a beautiful communion set from the Woman's Auxiliary of California. The Treasurer of the Aid Society reports as received during the past year $706 85, and expended $189 85, leaving a balance on hand of $17.

St. Paul's Mission, Walnut Creek, has received from Trinity Church, Haywards, the gift of a lectern and altar cross, and from the Woman's Auxiliary a beautiful set of altar linen. St. Paul's Church, Oakland, has added $25 to the building fund of St. Paul's Mission, Walnut Creek, and the Church of the Advent, East Oakland, $10. This makes the number of parishes contributing sixteen.

An effort is being made by members of the congregation at West Berkeley to procure money to repair the church edifice. A subscription has been started, and other methods will be tried to help on the work.

FORMERLY A SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST.

Elder J. M. Cantright of Otsego, Mich., long a leading minister of the Seventh Day Adventist denomination but who has lately renounced their doctrines, will deliver a course of lectures on the "Sabbath" in Hamilton Hall on March 26th, 27th and 28th.

The following is the action of the Pastors' Union of this city relating to Mr. Canright:

Resolved, That the Pastors' Union cordially approves of the character, position and work of Rev. D. M. Canright, and should he come to Oakland we will give him our moral support.

C. F. CLARK, Secretary.

OAKLAND, March 9, 1889.

A SINGER OF HYMNS.

George Stebbins, the gospel singer, will assist Rev. Dr. Chapman of the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church during the first two weeks of April. Mr. Chapman has been hard at work with revival services ever since Mr. Moody departed, and on the 10th of this month thirty-one converts were publicly welcomed into the church.

DIOCESAN DIVISION.

The clergy and laity of the Episcopal diocese of California are engaged in a bitter controversy over the proposed division of the diocese, and the place of holding the next convention. The clergy and laity of Southern California are unanimous in favor of division, and of holding the convention in May at Los Angeles. The members of the church in the northern part of the diocese are divided. Suggestions of caucuses and slates are made in the following leading article in the *Pacific Churchman* of March 15th:

Developments are awaited with no little anxiety in regard to the pending—as well as the possible doings of the next Diocesan Convention. Questions of the most vital importance to the whole diocese are involved, some phases of which are of such a nature as to forbid their unrestrained discussion, as yet, openly or publicly. It is greatly to be regretted that this is so. We believe little difficulty would be found in arriving at a satisfactory settlement of the conflicting wishes and interests that enter into the matter, if only the whole case could be laid open and frankly discussed. In the meanwhile "conferences" of a more or less partisan or sectional character, and plans of operation devised in behalf of special interests or schemes, are of doubtful good; they should be entered into at any rate with exceeding care lest something else than the real welfare of the whole church be their motive. Let us all beware lest anything be done to aggravate the situation. Let there be as little *undo*, by and by, as possible. Let the way to an easy coming together of those now separated by conflicting interests be kept as open and unobstructed as possible. For the most part the differences and antagonisms have been asserted and maintained without undue friction. Positive convictions of many men in honest conflict sometimes "make the fur fly," and yet without malice or deep wounds. It is so in this case, we believe. Let us not doubt that God's will in the end will be done, in spite of human errors and complications.

PULPIT THEMES.

The pastor, Rev. J. K. McLean, will conduct the services morning and evening at the First Congregational Church.

At the Second Presbyterian Church the pastor, Rev. H. H. Rice, will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The evening sermon will be the first of a series upon Bunyan's famous allegory, "The Holy War." Subjects—1, "Conquest of Mansoul by Diabolus"; 2, "Reign of Diabolus in Mansoul"; 3, "Campaign of the Four Captains"; 4, "Victory of Prince Immanuel"; 5, "Reign of Immanuel"; 6, "Renewed Attacks by Diabolus"; 7, "Counsel of Immanuel to Mansoul."

Dr. Hescock will preach in the East Oakland Methodist Episcopal Church morning and evening. Sunday school at 12:20. Young people's meeting, 6:30. Easter Sunday is the time set for dedicating the assembly room of the new church.

At the First Methodist Church, the pastor, Rev. Dr. Dille, will preach morning and evening. Morning subject, "Character Building"; evening, "The Prodigal and His Pouting Brother." Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 P. M.

At the Harrison Street Baptist Church, on Harrison street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, the pastor, Rev. W. F. Fleener, will preach at 11:15 A. M. Subject: "The Great Commandment and How to Keep It." Colonel Babcock will speak in the evening on "Temperance." All temperance friends are invited to come out. Sunday school at 10 A. M.

Rev. G. R. Read will preach at the San Pablo Avenue Baptist Church in the morning, Rev. A. J. Gurtevant, the pastor, in the evening. The series of sermons upon the Flood continues in the evening, with the special subject "Shut In" for to-morrow.

At Asbury Methodist Church, corner Clay and Fifteenth streets, there will be preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subject for morning, "Wisdom From Above, or True Religion;" evening, "The Self Hurt of Sin."

At the Eighth Avenue Congregational Church the pastor, Rev. J. F. Clapp, will preach morning and evening. Morning subject—"What a Man Saw in the Sanctuary." Young people's meeting at 6:30 o'clock.

The Rev. Charles W. Wendte will preach as usual at the Unitarian services at Hamilton Hall to-morrow morning and evening.

Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D., will preach to-morrow morning and evening at the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church in East Oakland. There will be a brief after meeting at the close of the evening service. On Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week there will be services for the instruction of Christian workers as a preparation for the gospel services during the first two weeks of April, when the pastor will be assisted by George C. Stebbins, the gospel singer.

At the Thirty-fourth street Methodist Episcopal Church there will be preaching and services by the pastor morning and evening. Subject: "Sin and Its Cure."

Dr. Penney will preach at the Free Baptist Church, on Twenty-first street, at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject: "A Defective Character." Young peoples' meeting at 6:30 P. M.

At the First Baptist Church, corner of Brush and Fourteenth streets, the pastor will speak to-morrow morning upon "Goodness Despised." In the evening an evangelistic service will be held at 7:30 o'clock. Baptism will follow the evening address. Morning prayer meeting at 10 A. M. Sunday school at 12:30 o'clock.

SUPERIOR COURT.

CALENDAR FOR MONDAY, MARCH 18TH.

Department One—Greene, Judge—Francis G. Moreing vs. C. P. Moreing; motion.

Spring Valley Water Works vs. Pierce; demurrer.

Perrin vs. Perrin; trial.

M. J. Ryan vs. His Creditors; hearing.

Wilson vs. Fourteenth Street Railroad; settlement of statement.

Estate of S. W. Gregory, deceased; account and distribution.

Estate of A. Letellier, deceased; citation.

Estate of A. A. Cohen, deceased; account and distribution.

Estate of H. Bohrman, deceased; letters of administration.

Estate of Sarah Hansen deceased; letters of administration.

Estate of W. Cobb, deceased; account and distribution.

Estate of M. A. Bullerdick, deceased; citation.

Estate of G. Frisbie, deceased; letters of administration with will annexed.

Estate of Martha R. Moore, deceased; final account and distribution.

Estate of A. A. de Silva, deceased; probate of will.

Department Two—Gibson, Judge: Estate of Rachael Frazier, deceased; letters of administration.

Wilson vs. His Creditors examination.

Mann vs. Truckee Lodge; motion to quash demurrer.

Thompson vs. Logan; demurrer to answer, etc.

Reine vs. Perry; demurrer.

Quinlan vs. Quinlan; same.

Forrest vs. Hash; same.

Wellman vs. Knowles; same.

Estate of Lewis M. Starr, deceased; final account, etc.

Estate of W. D. Miller, et al.; petition for letters of guardianship.

Perkins vs. Morris; demurrer.

Estate of A. F. Schroeder deceased; probate of will.

Estate of Caroline Lewis deceased; letters of administration.

Department Three—Ellsworth, Judge: People vs. Leonard; burglary; plea.

Thompson vs. Andrews; demurrer and motion.

Fleming vs. His Creditors; order to show cause.

Estate of J. H. Smyth, deceased; order of sale of real estate.

Estate of Ruth A. Hall, deceased; letters of administration.

Estate of A. Hoyer, deceased; final account and distribution.

Coates vs. Coates; trial at 2 P. M.

Estate of E. E. Cantus et al., minors; to show cause why account should not be filed.

Estate of C. A. Robinson, deceased; assignment of estate.

Estate F. Baber, deceased; account and partial distribution.

Estate of James Driver, deceased; petition for letters of administration.

Estate of G. D. Charles, deceased; account.

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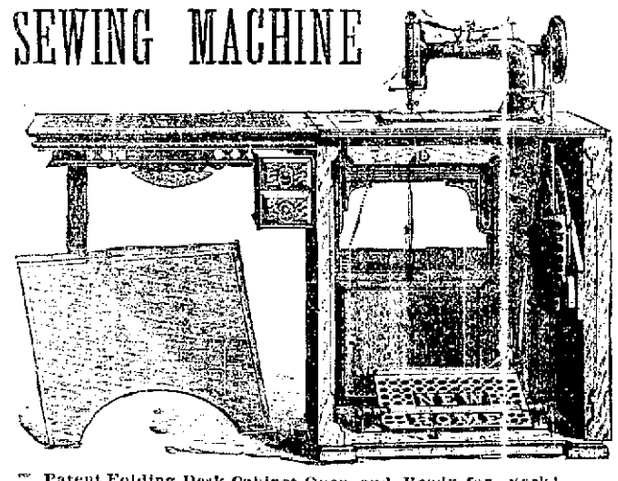

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YOU WILL LIKE IT AS IT IS.

Society folk will be interested to learn that a date has at last been finally decided upon as the occasion for the production of *As You Like It* by a number of prominent amateurs for the benefit of the Fabiola Hospital. Next Friday evening will be the date and the Oakland Theater the place.

The play will of course adhere in its main features to the modern version of William Shakespeare's original scene, but a number of pleasing features will be introduced. As is well known to many, certain composers, among them the illustrious D'Arne and Henry Bishop, another musician of prominence, have made additions of appropriate melody and harmony to the play, already an interesting one, that have rendered it available both as a drama and a species of operetta for the use of promising lovers of the art. The director on this occasion is the well known musician, Stephen W. Leach, who besides having the distinguished honor of having introduced the oratorio into California—it was *Elijah* that made its appearance first, under the management of Mr. Leach—has been godfather to many similar enterprises, and has thoroughly studied and is familiar in detail with each part of the drama to be played. His name in connection with the leadership of both music and elocution, therefore, bespeaks much for the worth of the dramatic production.

The music has been rearranged, and will be rendered by competent vocalists. Hunting choruses and trio will be pleasing features, prominent among which may be mentioned "Under the Greenwood Tree," "With Hawk and Hound," and "What Shall He have That Killed the Deer." Those who know and love to hear the illustrious "Rare" Ben Clark, will be given opportunity in the solo, "Blow Thou Winter Winds," in which the artist finds ample scope for his abilities.

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Adam—S. W. Leach.
Jacques—L. C. Kelley.
Oliver—H. P. Melvin.
Orlando—Mr. McLaren.
Charles, the Wrestler—Arthur Banks.
William—Mr. Howard
Touchstone—Joshua Barker.
De Beau—Horace Redfield.
Rosalind—Mrs. M. P. Livermore.
Celia—Miss Fannie Hunt.
Phoebe—Mrs. Joseph Dwyer.
Audrey—Miss Fannie Gamble.

There will also be a strong chorus of over thirty singers.

Many were denied opportunity of seeing the play *As You Like It* at the time of Modjeska's stay in Oakland, which is now given them. Those who did see it will profit much by a second attendance, and will by their attendance help a worthy charity.

The preparations for the scenery to be used in the forest scenes of the last four acts are on a large scale, and the scenes will be of artistic design and detail. Nature itself will be called upon to aid the scenic painter, and fairy bowers and shady woods will be in reality. The credit of the general arrangement and for the original conception is due to Mrs. H. P. Livermore, whose devotion to enterprises involving the relief of suffering humanity is too well known to need comment.

IN HONOR OF HIS HONOR.

A very pleasant dinner party was given at the residence of Mrs. M. McCabe at the corner of Seventh and Brush streets on Tuesday evening last to celebrate the success of John R. Glascock in the election the day before.

Among those who enjoyed the pleasures of the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. McCabe, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. James Elliot, Mr. and Mrs. W. Roker, Miss Sophie Wohlers, T. McCabe, Mrs. Mollie Will, W. Dunlap, H. Burk, Mr. Fredy, Mrs. A. Heany, Mr. and Mrs. James Shanly, Miss T. Dunlap, and many others.

ADAMS—LEIGH.

Miss Mary W. Leigh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wickham Leigh of San Francisco, was married on the evening of Tuesday, the 5th inst., at her parents' residence, 2920 Washington street, San Francisco, to Dr. Frank L. Adams, a well known and popular young practitioner of this city. The residence where the ceremony was performed was beautifully decorated for the festive occasion, and there was a large number of friends present to witness the ceremony. Rev. Hobart Chetwood officiated. The bridesmaids were Miss Mary Thompson, Miss Rose Sherwood, Miss Jessie Sherwood, Miss Isabel Sherwood, Miss Maggie Dunn of Berkeley, Miss Mary Moss, and Miss Nellie Moss. The groom's uncle, John W. Tompkins, was the best man.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the happy couple received the congratulations of their friends, and the entire party partook of a dainty collation. Then dancing began, and several hours were agreeably spent in enjoyment of its seductive pleasures.

A large number of beautiful and costly wedding gifts bore evidence of the esteem of a large circle of friends.

After a short wedding tour and sojourn at Coronado beach Dr. and Mrs. Adams will return and reside in Oakland.

Among those invited to the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thompson, Mrs. E. A. Tompkins, Major J. W. Tompkins, Dr. J. S. Adams, Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Rice, Dr. and Miss Agard, Dr. and Mrs. J. Hamilton Todd, Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Southard, Dr. Warren H. Blood, Dr. Augar, Captain Workman, Thomas Nadley, Mrs. J. Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. G. Mix, Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard and family, General and Mrs. Kirkham and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Browne and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. Browne, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Browne, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. John Ballard, Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Schillim, Mr. and Mrs. Cutter, Miss Maggie Dunn, the Misses Des Rochers, the Misses Prather, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Tompkins, Mr. and Miss Adams, Mr. Bundell, Mr. and Mrs. Yarde-Buller, Judge and Mrs. Thompson, Miss G. E. Thompson, Mr. Warren, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Adams, Dr. W. A. Bryant, Mrs. D. F. Smith, W. R. Dangerfield, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hamilton, Mrs. L. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Cutter, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sherwood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bowie, Mr. and Mrs. L. Foss, Mrs. E. L. Foss, Mrs. Annie Higgins, Mrs. Van Wycke and family, Mrs. C. Moss and family, W. L. Higgins, J. Walcom, Clair Boyd, Miss Degan, P. Zabala, Judge and Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Williams, Dr. H. W. Dodge, Mr. Surrey, Mr. and Mrs. Tams, Mr. and Mrs. Holloway, Hon. and Mrs. Barclay Henley, Mrs. N. L. Buell, J. D. Carr, Mrs. Seale, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. McGarvey, Mr. and Mrs. P. Zabala and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. Harmelt, Mr. and Mrs. N. Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wetherill, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Browne, Mr. and Mrs. W. Vanderhurst and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Johnson and family, Dr. and Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Bird and family, Mrs. N. G. McCandlass and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Houston, Mr. and Miss Trescony, Mr. and Mrs. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Conner, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Paris Kilburn, Mr. and Mrs. T. Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Gates and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Schuchard, Mrs. W. S. Coulter, A. E. Jackson, Mose and Mark Meyer, Frank S. Bullene, W. E. Higgins, J. B. Garber, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sneltzer, Cheri Herbert, John Lynan, Luther Rodgers, Rev. Father Sorrentini, Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson, Mrs. Mary Mills, Mrs. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Sieghold, Miss Kate Cavanagh, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harris, N. Cano, Judge and Mrs. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. S. Lean, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Beeman, Miss Beeman, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Richard Inge, Dr. and Mrs. Vincent and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Agard, Miss May Adams, W. B. Storey, Miss Lucia Adams, Miss Laura Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Short, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Francis, H. Stokes, Thomas Johnson, Mr. Tweed, Mr. and Mrs. Terrill, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fry, Miss Alice Leigh, William Leigh, J. Leigh, Mr. and Mrs. C. Old, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Byrd and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas Leigh, Dr. and Mrs. Porcher and family, Miss Julia Porcher, Miss Carrie Adams, Mrs. Conway Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Robinson, A. E. Roberts, Dr. and Mrs. Carr, D. C. Ridder, General John Eaton, Colonel Lucien Eaton, Frederick Eaton, Ira Tompkins, Albert Tompkins, Miss Jennie Tompkins.

BROWN—LOW.

Last Wednesday David Brown and Miss Annie Low were married at the residence of the Rev. Dr. Chapman, who officiated at the ceremony. At its close the bridal party repaired to the new residence of the bride and groom, 1211 Fifteenth avenue, and the reception was held. The pleasures of the evening were varied by a flute solo rendered by A. Young and Scottish hornpipe danced in costume by Charles Kydd. Supper was served during the evening in the prettily decorated dining room, and was done ample justice by the guests.

Among those present at the ceremony were: Mr. and Mrs. James Moir, Mr. and Mrs. David Moir, Mr. and Mrs. James Patullo, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Schroeder, James Merrick, Abner Young, William Brown, Wilson Sudler, James Brown, Miss Lotta G. Brown, William Hunter, Mr. Orchardson, Miss Anna Moir, Miss Mathewson, Mrs. McGrath, Miss Annie Keller, Miss Maggie Forbes, Richard Merrick, Thomas Merrick, Charles Kydd, Peter Moir.

SPEAR NORTHEY.

There was a quiet wedding last evening at the home of Professor Morse at the Baptist College at Highland Park, East Oakland, in which were united in nuptial bonds A. F. Spear, department mechanic of the public schools of this city, and Miss Mamie Northey, the eldest daughter of V. S. Northey, residing in the eastern end of the city. There was no reception at the ceremony, which which was witnessed by but a few of the relatives of both parties. Dr. Morse officiated. At the conclusion of a wedding tour through northern California Mr. and Mrs. Spear will return early in April and will receive their friends at their new home, 536 East Twelfth street.

PETERSON—O'BRIEN.

On the afternoon of Saturday, the 2d inst., Captain H. Peterson, a well known resident of this city, was married to Miss Maggie O'Brien at the clergy house of St. Anthony's parish, East Oakland. The ceremony, which was a quiet one, being witnessed only by relatives and immediate friends of both parties, was performed by the Rev. Father Gleeson, and was followed by the wedding supper and reception at the residence of the parents of the bride, 662 East Twelfth street. The newly wedded couple are spending their honeymoon in San Francisco.

VAN BUSKIRK—CRABTREE

Vernon Van Buskirk and Miss Anna Belle Crabtree were married at the residence of the bride's parents, at Sixteenth street and Eleventh avenue, on Wednesday evening last. The ceremony was witnessed by the family only. Rev. J. Herndon Garnett officiated.

The groom is a recent arrival from the State of New York, and has, since his stay in Oakland been in the employ of Jordan & Arnold of this city. The bride is the daughter of C. L. Crabtree, Assistant General Baggage Master of the Southern Pacific Company. Both the young people were members of the choir and congregation of the Tenth Avenue Baptist Church, and possess a large circle of friends who will wish them much happiness in their new life.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Buskirk will remain in Oakland.

EASTON—GRIFFIN.

Bright lights gleamed through the windows and the sound of happy voices issued from within the home of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Seaman at 1201 Harrison street on Tuesday evening, contrasting strangely with the rampant storm that made the outer air seem unusually dismal, and which would have cast a cloud upon any less happy party than the one within doors, betokening the event that was about to take place in the marriage of Miss Hattie Griffin to George Easton.

The wedding was of necessity a quiet one, and the ceremony was witnessed by but few. A canopy from the entrance to the gateway extended its shelter to the guests as they passed from the carriages to the door. Within, the apartments were tastefully decorated with rare flowers in bloom, and dainty confections of flowers and particolored silken draperies. The main hall was decorated with acacia bloom, and the newel post and stairway were converted into a bank of ferns intertwined with creeping ivy.

In the parlor a triangular canopy was suspended from either side of the bay window, its apex being caught up and secured to the central chandelier by a cord twined with smilax. Beneath it was disposed a true lovers' knot of marigolds. Festoons of golden sashes and varied ornaments in autumn tints added to the attractiveness of the room. A large number of handsome floral pieces, the remembrances of friends, among them a basket of orchids in blossom were attractively displayed. A string band was stationed behind a screen of tropical plants and ferns in the library, in which the prevailing tints were red and pink.

At 6:30 o'clock the wedding march was played, and the ceremony took place in the presence of a few intimate friends and relatives. The Rev. Mr. Lion of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church of San Francisco officiated.

There were no bridesmaids and no groomsman. The bride was given away by her brother-in-law, G. B. Seaman. The young lady is the daughter of the late Henry Griffin. The groom is a member of the firm of Jacobs & Easton, insurance brokers doing business in San Francisco.

The bride's toilet consisted of a superb gown of white brocaded moire silk, entraine, with point lace yoke and neck profusely trimmed with seed pearls; no veil; ornaments, diamonds; she carried a hand bouquet of Nephitos rose buds.

After the ceremony and congratulations the wedding party partook of the wedding banquet in the sitting room, which was prettily ornamented in white and green with lillies, ferns, and white draperies. The wedding guests were: Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Brown, Miss Florinne Brown, Miss Lillian Brown, C. Everts, Mr. and Mrs. David Easton, Wendel Easton, Miss Lizzie Easton, George D. Easton, Miss Gertrude Gordon, Miss Jennie Tay, Miss Ella Tracy, Mrs. L. B. Emery, and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Seaman.

The wedding reception was held later and was attended by a host of friends of the happy couple. The guests were served with refreshments at *tete-a-tete* tables, which were prettily laid in the sitting room. The refreshments were served at a buffet in the dining room, which was garnished with fruit blossoms and a center piece of glace fruits.

The presents were numerous and costly. Noticeable among them were a set of seven dozen pieces of silver and pearl table service, a testimonial from the employes of Mr. Easton, and an elegant bronze statue presented by his partner, Mr. Jacobs.

After the reception the bridal couple departed on a tour to Coronado Beach, and upon their return will be at home to their friends for a short time at the Hotel Pleasanton, San Francisco. They will then go to San Rafael to spend the summer season, and returning will reside permanently in San Francisco.

Among those present at the reception were noticed: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hickok, Mr. and Mrs. Victor H. Metcalf, E. E. Danforth, J. Jacobs of San Francisco, Mr. Cunningham of New York, A. K. P. Harmon Jr., Dr. S. Powell Burdick, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Baldwin, Mrs. Kellogg, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Knight.

THE COTILLON CLUB PARTY.

The regular monthly party of the Cotillon Club was held last evening at Cavalry Hall, which was simply yet very prettily decorated for the occasion. Excellent music and a well arranged programme of dances made an otherwise disagreeable evening pass very pleasantly, and those who braved the elements and attended were amply repaid for their laudable temerity. The affair was under the efficient leadership of the popular Secretary, G. Fred Bush, who was assisted in his duties as floor manager by Milton Bulkeley, Dr. F. H. Morris, and Richard Chadbourne.

The following were among those present: B. M. Clement, Miss Grace Clement, B. J. Smith, Miss Annie B. Howell, Miss Kate R. Howell, G. Fred Bush, A. B. Fately, Miss J. Hammer, William Satterwhite, Miss Agnes Harris, Miss Grace Chick, Fred Torrey, Dick Chadbourne, John F. Logan, J. A. Chestnut, Miss Mary Chestnut, Miss Robinson, H. Gray, George S. Meredith, Miss M. Clock, Harry Benner, F. A. Fletcher, Miss Lucy Fletcher, Howard Robbins, Miss Roberta Conway, C. B. Wells, L. L. Clark, Kenneth Watson, Miss Havens, C. W. Dickey, Arthur B. Torrey, Miss Ella M. Bush, C. L. Hewes, D. A. Kirkwood, Hubert White, G. P. Robertson, B. S. Hubbard, J. E. Morris, Miss Phoebe Smith, H. W. Knoll, Miss M. Farquhar, L. S. Clark, H. J. Gage, Miss Grace Gage, W. B. Standelord.

NOT A BICYCLE CLUB.

A movement, yet in its incipiency, but full of promise for the future and of interest in the present to the socially inclined of Oakland's own little Swelldom, has been strongly agitated among the sterner half of the community of late. It is not less than the formation among a number of young men of this city of a "Knickerbocker Club," after the plan so successfully formulated and carried out in many Eastern cities. The club if formed, as is confidently expected, will be the pioneer of its kind on the Pacific slope. The success elsewhere of the idea, when rightly carried out, has led to strong expectations of its "taking" by storm in its new home. The objects of the new association are manifold. Its membership will be limited to the male sex, who will on occasion revive the antique costume and dress of Peter Stuyvesant days, a prominent feature of which, the Knickerbocker, lends its name to the dress. The nucleus of the expected club will be a number of the present members of "The" Cotillon Club, who will ere long close their season with an elaborate post lenten, full dress party. As the membership of the last named institution is at present confined to the young men aforesaid, it will be but a step, and a short one, to the new one. A natural and pardonable shrinking from a first appearance in shorts and knee buckles and a moderate percentage of a girth of calf are the only obstacles to be overcome. The debut of the "Knickerbocker Club" will come at an early date, and once established, the names of its patrons are a guaranty of ultimate and lasting success.

ELITE SOCIAL.

Despite the fact that the rain fell in torrents last Tuesday evening a large number of young people assembled at the Elite Social Club dancing school. After the usual exercises two door prizes were drawn for by the pupils. The lady's prize, a handsome dressing case, was won by Miss Clara Proksch of 1217 Center street, and J. F. McDonald of 801 Chester street won a gold headed ebony cane. The committee who conducted the drawing were Messrs. Woodward, Richardson, and Hanford all pupils of the school. The officers and members are working hard to keep alive the interests of the club, and something of special note is promised by them to take place very soon.

UNITED IN TEMPERANCE.

"The object of this entertainment is to show to the Woman's Christian Temperance Union the result of their work in this branch of their work," were the opening words of the address delivered last evening at the social given by the Oakland Temperance Cadets at Cavalry Hall, by the orator of the evening, F. C. Pierson. The entertainment met its object fully, and the showing was an encouraging one. The hall was well filled with the friends of the young soldiers, and a pleasing entertainment was offered, beginning with the address, the opening words of which are above quoted, and which continued briefly as follows:

"Four years ago it was that a number of the members of this union decided to form a Cadet Company to assist in ridding the community and the world of intoxicants and tobacco. The initiative steps toward the carrying out of the plan were taken in 1885 by Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Borland, by whose efforts a corps of sixteen members was organized. In the autumn following they were presented with blouses by two charitably inclined citizens and nearly the same time were given a pension sufficient for the payment of their small rent by the coffee rooms of the Woman's Union. The growth of the company has been rapid. New stands of arms and new uniform are among recent acquisitions. The cadets feel strongly indebted to the Woman's Christian Temperance Union for their present prosperity, and desire to thank especially Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Borland. The regular meetings fall on Friday evenings, and all are cordially invited to be present."

In addition the following programme was carried out:

Piano duet ..... Misses Emma and Claudine Cannon
Recitation ..... Miss Herrington
Song ..... Miss Carter
Address ..... J. K. Pierson
Recitation ..... Mrs. Nellie H. Biles
Song ..... Mrs. Lettie Brackett
Recitation ..... William McCarty

There were further addresses by Colonel Babcock and a drill in which the cadets participated. Then refreshments were served, and sociability intermingled with dancing was in order until a late hour.

MISS RUTH M'INTYRE' PARTY.

Miss Ruth McIntyre, assisted by Miss Lizzie Maddern, gave a party to a number of her friends at her home at 1324 Seventh avenue during the early part of the week. The young folks passed a very pleasant evening playing games and dancing. Between 10 and 11 o'clock dainty refreshments were served after which dancing was resumed and continued into the early hours of the morning.

Among the members of the convivial company were: Arthur J. Magill, Jr., Arthur Lawrence, Harry Cook, Westie White, William Pringle, Ed Jackson, Eddie Warren, William Foulkes, Frederick Schultz, Samuel Neff, Hendricks Fine, Robert Maddern, Edward Van Amringe, Miss Ruth McIntyre, Miss Edna McIntyre, Miss Lizzie Maddern, Miss Minnie Maddern, Miss Bella Van Amringe, Miss Clara Cook, Miss Ottie Cramer, Miss Blanche Hostetter, Miss Etta Wakefield, Miss Carrie Schultz, Miss Margaret McNamara, Miss Phena Sedgley, Miss May Warren.

A HAPPY BIRTHDAY.

Last Wednesday evening the young friends of Miss Lena Le Fevre assembled at the residence of her mother, Mrs. M. Le Fevre, corner of Santa Clara avenue and Walnut street, Alameda, to celebrate the young lady's fourteenth birthday. The evening was spent in dancing, singing and games, and dainty refreshments were served by the young lady's mother. The following were among those who participated: Miss Lena Le Fevre, Miss Eva Bamber, Miss Florence Peiffer, Miss Alice Le Fevre, Miss Marie Victors, Miss Martha Steele, Miss Annette Le Fevre, Mrs. M. Le Fevre, Walter Bamber, Albert Taylor, Frank Saunders, George Pfeiffer, Ernest Victors, Frank Le Fevre, Morton Tuft and many others.

LOCAL TALENT ABROAD.

The third concert of the Los Angeles Philharmonic Society was held on the 5th inst. The *Herald* of that city contained the following paragraph in its criticism of the performance. It will, no doubt, prove of interest to many of the readers of this paper:

"The gem of the evening was the opening number in the second part, Mozart's Concerto XVI. This is a concerto for two pianos, with orchestral accompaniment, and in the sonata form. The orchestra was at its best in this delightful composition and its beauty was enhanced by the splendid instrumentation on the pianos by Mrs. Coe (nee Sadie Knowland, late of Alameda) and Miss Bessie Marshall."

A PARTY POSTPONED.

The "social" to be given on Tuesday evening, March 19, 1889, at California Hall, on Clay street, near Eleventh, by Oakland Parlor, No. 17, Native Daughters of the Golden West, has been postponed two weeks, the date falling on April 2d.

AN ALAMEDA MAN'S BIRTHDAY.

On the evening of Thursday, the 7th inst., a very pleasant and enjoyable birthday party was given A. G. Sanchez by a number of his lady friends, at his residence on Alameda avenue, between Park and Oak streets, Alameda. The dancing, music, and games furnished enjoyment for those present, and during the evening a bountiful supper was served. Among those who helped to pass a very pleasant evening were: Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Sanchez, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Josselyn, Joel Josselyn, Miss Lela Josselyn, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Furey, L. H. Schonean, George J. Foster, Misses Laura and Lettie Foster, Miss Anna Peterson, Miss Cora Grath, Will Grath.

GOSSIP.

Miss M. Rodenbeck of Alameda left Saturday for Santa Rosa and Healdsburg on a visit.

I. N. Chapman has gone to Yosemite Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Magill Jr. will take up their residence in Alameda as soon as their new house is completed.

The Ladies' Liberal Christian Society of Alameda held its last Friday afternoon social on the 8th inst., at Mrs. O. A. Lunt's corner Willow street and Central avenue.

A. P. Lorentzen and family will return to Alameda to reside in a few days.

Miss Laura Mitchell, organist of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Alameda, has gone to Dixon, Solano county, to spend a vacation with Mrs. Cadman.

Mrs. Helen M. Cushman returned from her visit to Livermore last Wednesday to her home in Alameda.

Dr. Loomis has returned to his Alameda home

Miss Annie Seymour of Visalia is visiting her former home, Alameda.

C. W. Damon, who has been on a visit to South Hanson, Mass., since November, arrived home last Tuesday evening.

Alameda Parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West, held an open meeting last Wednesday evening. A number of invited guests were present and a very enjoyable time was had.

On the evening of Friday, the 22d instant, the Young Harmonie Club of Alameda will give a social dance and "German" for members only.

An attractive entertainment will be given this evening at Lucker's Hall, Alameda, by Mr. and Mrs. Batchelder and W. J. Colville, assisted by a number of other well known artists.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid Society will give a musical entertainment and bonbon party, at St. Joseph's Hall, corner of San Antonio avenue and Lafayette street, Alameda, on Monday evening next.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew S. Moseley, *nee* Grow, returned home to-day from their trip through Southern California and will reside at the Hotel Pleasanton, San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Masten, *nee* Martel, have returned from their wedding trip, and will receive on Thursdays in March and April, at 420 Ellis street, San Francisco.

The marriage of George E. Bangle of Tacoma and Miss Dot Dunbar of East Oakland, will take place at the residence of the bride's parents, 1008 Ninth avenue, Wednesday evening, March 27th.

MARRIAGE RECORD.

Licenses Recorded for the Week Ending March 16, 1889.

February 20th—Alfred Kull, aged 24, resident of San Francisco, and Lillie Bencher, aged 18, resident of Oakland; by G. W. Bothwell

March 9th—Jose T. Perivia, aged 23, and Mary Rodrigues Vierra, aged 15, both residents of Haywards; by J. McEvoy.

February 23d—Antonio Phillips, aged 26, and Amelia Olmes, aged 19, both residents of Oakland; by William Gleeson.

March 2d—Anton Peterson, aged 31, and Maggie O'Brien, aged 22, both residents of Oakland; by W. Gleason.

February 24th—Antone Francis Aubren, aged 26, and Mary Avelar, aged 18, both residents of Oakland; by William Gleason.

March 12th—George Easton, aged 28, resident of San Francisco, and Hattie Jane Griffin, resident of Oakland, aged 31 years; by Edgar J. Lion.

March 11th—John Monroe, aged 18 years, and Essie Sneering, aged 18, both residents of Oakland; by Elbert R. Dille.

March 13th—David Randall Pettingell, aged 27, and Myrtle Edith Marshall, aged 21, both residents of Oakland; by Elbert R. Dille.

March 13th — William Johannes Kahn, aged 40, and Honara Carly, aged 29, both residents of Oakland.

March 13th—Edward William Davis, aged 20, resident of Forest Hill, and Treasure Ena Hall, aged 20, resident of Oakland; by Henry H. Rice.

WORKED AGAINST A TEACHER.

University Youngsters Fiddling in Politics in Oakland.

High school Kids.

Four boys from the University, and formerly of the Oakland High school, worked at the polls Monday to defeat Mr. McChesney for the office of Library Trustee. They induced many "regular Republicans" to vote tickets with Mr. McChesney's name scratched. To a High school boy, who asked them why they were doing it, they replied: "Got a grudge against Mac; getting even now." It may be possible that, measured by the competitive system among men, the caucus and primary and election day warfares between opposing candidates and their hangers on are justifiable; but for young men to hang and sneak about the city's voting places, and with oily tongues made glib at the State's expense, induce honest voters to unwittingly help to feed fat a grudge against a teacher, lacks every element of manhood and sturdy principle, and brings certain votaries of the *Blue and Gold* down to the level of Boss Buckley's thugs.

Coleridge's Contradictions.

Mrs. Florence Williams lectured yesterday before the Ebell Society at Upper Hamilton Hall, her subject being "Coleridge." The lecture was a long one and very interesting. In opening she spoke of Coleridge's character and education. His appearance was phenomenal, inasmuch as his personal character was mean and contemptible, and yet he succeeded in doing much good for mankind. She referred to Coleridge and Wordsworth, and said that to-day the former exercises more influence than the latter. Coleridge, she said, was a declared opium eater, and this made it all the more wonderful that he should have the power of intellect which he possessed. One of the most eminent services he rendered the world was the influence he exercised over Carlyle, who was then, so to speak, a young rebel. In closing, the lecturer dwelt upon the few works left by Coleridge, and pointed out the value and extreme beauty of them, and once more reverted to the singular fact that a contemptible personality and a genius of so much beauty could have been united in the same man.

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Amount of Life Assurance, January 1st, 1888 ..... $79,297,633 40

INCOME.

Premiums ..... $8,607,[illegible]
Interest, Rents, etc. ..... 1,016,824 [illegible] $9,624,[illegible]

DISBURSEMENTS.

Claims by Death and Matured Endowments ..... $7,220,0[illegible]
Dividends, Surrender Values, Annuities and Discounted Endowments ..... 4,6[illegible]
Total paid Policyholders $11,884,457.44
Dividend on Capital ..... 7,[illegible]
Commissions, Advertising, Postage and Exchange ..... [illegible]
General Expenses, State, County and City Taxes ..... 2,1[illegible]
Net Ledger Assets, December 31, 1888 ..... $89,427,066.92

ASSETS.

Bonds and Mortgages ..... $2[illegible]
Real Estate, including the Equitable Buildings and purchases under foreclosures, mortgages ..... [illegible]
United States Stocks, State Stocks, City Stocks, Trust Companies and other investments ..... [illegible]
Loans secured by Bonds and Stocks, Market Value, $1,0[illegible] ..... [illegible]
Real Estate outside the State of New York, including purchases under foreclosures, mortgages ..... [illegible]
Cash in Banks and in transit or in course received and invested ..... [illegible]
Due from Agents on account of Premiums ..... [illegible] $[illegible]
Market value of Stocks and Bonds over book value ..... [illegible]
Interest and Rents due and accrued ..... [illegible]
Premiums deferred and in transit ..... [illegible]
Total Assets, December 31, 1888 ..... $95,042,922.96

I hereby certify, that after a personal examination of the securities and accounts described in this statement, I find the same to be true and correct as stated. JOHN A. McCALL, Comptroller.

Total Liabilities, including legal reserve on all existing Policies, 4 per cent Standard $74,248,207.81
Total Undivided Surplus, over 4 per cent Reserve $20,794,715.15

Of which the proportion contributed (as computed) by Policies in general class is ..... $[illegible]
Of which the proportion contributed (as computed) by policies in Tontine class, is ..... [illegible]
We certify to the correctness of the above calculation of the reserve and surplus.
From this surplus the usual dividends will be made.
GEO. W. PHILLIPS, } Actuaries
J. J. VAN CISE, }

New Assurance written in 1888 ..... $153,933,535
Total Outstanding Assurance 549,216,126
Increase of Income 1,718,128
Increase of Surplus (over per cent Std.) 2,699,160
Increase of Assets 10,661,918

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THE WORLD.

A Chinese Claim for Damages Against Us.

Oklahoma Boomers Are Very Much in Earnest.

High Water and Heavy Rains Everywhere.

The General Appropriation Bill Finally Passed.

Special to the Oakland Tribune by California Associated Press.

MILWAUKEE, March 16.—The Chinese question has assumed a more serious phase. Sam Ring Kee has received a letter from the Chinese Embassador at Washington, asking him to make an estimate of the damage done to Chinese property during the recent disturbance. The embassador says he will call upon the United States to make restoration for the damage done, as the United States has always exacted pay for damage to American property in China under similar circumstances.

FIGHTING FOR A PASS.

Two Big Railroads Contending for a Right of Way.

HELENA, Mont., March 16.—A rumor stating that the Union Pacific had sold its road bed in Jefferson canyon to the Northern Pacific is denied. Sam Word, attorney for the Union Pacific, denies the report, and states that the engineer in charge of the Union Pacific works is still at work.

FROM A THIRD STORY WINDOW.

The Suicide of a Portland Hotel Keeper.

PORTLAND, Or., March 16.—Charles C. Scott, one of the proprietors of the Gilman House, during a fit of temporary insanity committed suicide late last night by jumping from a third story window to a stone pavement below. He leaves a widow, now in California for her health.

A FLURRY IN WHEAT.

The Chicago Market Has a Sharp Advance.

CHICAGO, March 16.—There was a sharp advance in wheat this morning, under the leadership of brokers who were supposed to be buying in the interest of a syndicate. There was a general rush to cover, and within a short time May wheat advanced nearly 3½ cents.

THE BOOMERS

Of Oklahoma Are Going Ahead Regardless of Law.

OKLAHOMA, Ind. T., March 16.—"Oklahoma" Hill has arrived in the heart of the Oklahoma country and is surrounded by hundreds of boomers. It is reported that troops have been ordered here from Fort Reno and the Cherokee strip. The boomers are busy staking out claims and some have already begun plowing. Hill took the claim he selected twelve years ago when a scout.

More Rain Coming.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 16.—The indications for the next twenty-four hours for California are for rain.

THE STATE PRISONS.

Governor Waterman Is too Busy to Attend to Them Now.

SACRAMENTO, March 16.—The first step of Governor Waterman's proposed investigation into the management of the State prisons was taken at his office this morning. It being so near the end of the session, Governor Waterman stated that he could not go on with the inquiry now. It was arranged that Shanahan should present the charges preferred by the Committee on Ways and Means, and that the Governor should transmit them to the Prison Directors. P. Reilly, on behalf of Warden McComb, asked that an expert be appointed to at once examine Warden McComb's books.

This request was granted. It was arranged that this expert shall report on April 1st, and that the taking of testimony shall commence at San Quentin May 20.

ONE OF HAGGIN'S MINES.

A Shut Down In Montana Leaves Six Hundred Men Out of Work.

HELENA, Mont., March 16.—Marcuse Daly, Superintendent of the Anaconda Works, gave orders for shutting down the syndicate mines at Butte, which are part of the Anaconda properties there. This was rendered necessary by the fire which destroyed the lower works. Six hundred men are out of employment.

HIGH WATER.

Over Seven Inches of Rain Fell During the Storm in the South.

SANTA PAULA, March 16.—Over seven inches of rain fell during the present storm, and it is raining now. The streams are overflowing their banks and traffic on the Ventura division of the Southern Pacific is suspended for a day or two at least.

CHICO, March 16.—The river is nine inches below high water, and unless it falls soon there will be much damage to crops around Syca more, caused by a 200 foot break in the levee three miles above here. Work has been abandoned on the big break as useless.

A BIG STEAL.

A Cashier Who Gambled Away $50,000 in Two Weeks.

BOSTON, March 16.—Edgar Swan of Lynn, paying teller of the Lynn National Bank, is charged as a defaulter to the amount of $68,495. It is alleged he took $50,000 since February 20th for stock speculation.

WILL NOT BE A CANDIDATE.

Governor Waterman is Sick and Tired of Politics.

SACRAMENTO, March 16.—Governor Waterman authorizes the announcement that he will not, under any circumstances, be a candidate for reelection. "My experience of the Legislative session," he says only confirms me in my determination never to be involved in politics again. My circumstances are such that I can take life easily, my ambition is sealed, and there is no inducement, not a million dollars a year, that could ever tempt me to again submit to the annoyance, cares, and anxieties of office. I did hope and do hope to leave behind me a record of an honest and upright administration, but it is with no hope or desire to secure another term of office for myself.

IN THE SENATE.

The General Appropriation Bill Passed.

SACRAMENTO, March 16.—In the Senate this morning the General Appropriation bill was read a third time and passed.

The bill prohibiting the manufacture of sashes, doors, and blinds at San Quentin Prison was passed over the Governor's veto—ayes, 27; noes, 12. Hall's Anti-trust bill was defeated. The Senate refused to pass the bill providing for a State Printer over the Governor's veto—ayes, 20; noes, 18.

MERCHANTS SWINDLED.

Victimized by the Latest Heir to a Mythical Fortune.

NAPA, March 16.—Julius Leopold Fischer, a German, who represented himself as having fallen heir to an estate of $400,000 left him by an uncle in Germany, has suddenly disappeared after having victimized several of the Napa tradesmen. Fischer had bargained for the purchase of a fine orchard for $35,000, and on the strength of his representations secured credit from a number of Napa merchants. But a party who knew of his operations in the past exposed him and threatened to bring evidence that he was an imposter. Fischer has suddenly left, and now his absence is mourned by a number who were only too willing to accommodate him in view of his grand expectations.

DROWNED IN THE RIVER.

A Miner Jumps Into the Sacramento and Loses His Life.

DELTA, March 16.—August Levenhozen, a German and a miner from Lama, Cal., on his way to Portland with his brother, jumped into the river here early this morning and was drowned. He had been sick with fever and was of unsound mind. His body was carried down the river and has not yet been recovered. His brother went up to Portland.

IN THE ASSEMBLY.

A Constitutional Amendment to Be Proposed.

SACRAMENTO, March 16.—In the Assembly the constitutional amendment repealing the article creating the Board of Railroad Commissioners was brought in by James this morning and was passed. The Governor has approved the following bills: Providing for the examination, approval, and confirmation of proceedings for the issue and sale of bonds under the irrigation act; relating to the definition of terms and for the protection of owners of ditches and flumes.

The bill creating a Railroad Taxation Commission was passed by a vote of 56 to 24. The Governor's veto of the Sash and Door bill was sustained. The constitutional amendment relating to the framing of municipal charters was adopted.

Senator Chace Resigns.

PROVIDENCE, March 16.—Governor Taft to-day received the resignation of United States Senator Chace.

Ready for a Riot.

DUBLIN, March 16.—Seventy policemen have been sent to Lurgan, owing to fears that rioting will occur there on St. Patrick's Day.

Not Tascott.

VICTORIA, B. C., March 16.—The man arrested at Nanaimo on suspicion of being the murderer Tascott, proved to be a deserter from a British warship.

Assigned to Duty at Benicia.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Secretary Proctor has relieved Major William A. Marye from duty at the National Armory at Springfield, Mass., and assigned him to the command at Benicia, Cal. arsenal.

Offered an Office.

CHICAGO, March 16.—It is rumored that Channing F. Meek, General Manager of the Denver, Fort Worth, and Texas Railway, has been offered a position as General Superintendent of the Railway Mail Service.

THE RAIN IN THE COUNTY.

Bountiful Yield of Grain and Fruit Assured.

George Oakes, editor and rancher, made a little trip from Haywards to Oakland this morning. He says that the rain of the past few days has made a complete change in the prospects of the fruit and grain crops in his vicinity. Last week they were showing signs of suffering, but now the prospects are that the crops will be larger than for many years previous. Some five inches of rain have fallen recently, and the fields are beginning to look green. George says that a little more won't do any harm.

A telegram from Livermore recites that rain began falling again at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning, falling in sheets for an hour. The rain continued steadily. Nearly an inch fell in two hours, making the total for the storm about 3.50 inches. In the hills surrounding Livermore valley more than double this amount has fallen. All the creeks are running bank full. The weather now is turning cooler. The indications point to a bountiful harvest, and the probabilities are that there will be the heaviest grain and fruit crop ever yielded in that valley.

THE NORTH ARM.

A Conference Between An Oakland Deputation and an Engineer.

An Oakland deputation, consisting of Mayor Pierce, Mayor elect Glascock, Health Officer Crowley, N. W. Spaulding, H. A. Powell, J. L. Brawley, Charles G. Yale, and Taliesin Evans waited on Major W. H. H. Benyaard, United States Engineer, to submit their reasons why the Government should surrender its jurisdiction over the north arm of the estuary and cede it to the city for sanitary improvement. The conference was held at 3 P. M. to-day, too late for THE TRIBUNE to publish the result in this issue.

A Hop at Decoto.

A social hop was given by the young folks of Decoto in the schoolhouse last night. In spite of the rain and stormy outlook, a large number was in attendance. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. Dermett and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bush and families, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Meyer, Miss Lulu Whipple, Miss Clara Whipple, Miss Etta Dermett, Mrs. J. M. Nichols, C. E. Brownell, Charles Whipple, Joseph Thompson, John Rose, Fred Lowrie of Centerville, August May, Henry May, Henry Graesslin, W. Demmick, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Pereira, Messrs. Gray and Graham of Haywards, and a number from Haywards and Mt. Eden. Music was very nice by the Munro's Band of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Salz have returned to Decoto for the summer.

A very large pumpkin is on exhibition at T. S. Pereira's saloon.

AFTER THE BATTLE.

Some Reflections Upon the Recent City Election.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: In reviewing the situation after a sanguinary battle, many thoughts suggest themselves to the mind. In the late contest at the polls we are furnished much food for reflection. We have long cherished the hope that the time would come when men possessing genuine moral principles, men of ability, men who could always be trusted to decide for the right, and who, if placed in responsible positions in the political arena, would act from conscientious motives under all circumstances, and whose example before the people would convince the voter that all politicians are not rogues, might be elected to public office. May we be encouraged to believe that such a time has arrived in our favored city. Let us see. An apparent attempt was made to secure certain ends by unlawful means. A remedy was offered and refused. A new ticket was put in the field, composed in the main of exceptionally good men. *All* were elected. May we conclude, by the victory achieved, that the better element in society is in the ascendency? May we conclude that the so-called whisky element has lost its hold on society? If the motives were pure we may; but if all this has been secured from a desire to down one boss that another may succeed, then the victory is barren. I for one rejoice that such a severe rebuke has been given to the immoral influences of the city. I am glad that the walking advertisement for a nefarious business has been taken down. Heretofore it has been a lamentable fact that in a political contest beer was king as against qualifications and weight of character. Let us hope that that day is past. If we read the lesson aright and profit thereby we need never return to that dreaded past. Not only were we able to elect to responsible positions temperance men, but what is better, Christian temperance men. The people are beginning to clamor for honest men—men of veracity. An inconsistent man is untrustworthy anywhere and everywhere, and will in the future, as in the past, receive severe rebukes, and such a man has need to fear the power of that silent messenger "that executes the will of man as lightning executes the will of God.

Having said this much, may I add that in the time of reform we have an equalized taxation. There can be no good reason why a rich man's property should be taxed proportionately lower than the man in moderate circumstances, yet I feel assured that upon examination it will be found that some city properties are assessed up to their full cash value, while others are assessed at only from one fourth to one half their cash value. Why should a man who owns but a few feet of land, upon which he has erected a $2000 house for a home for his little family, be required to pay taxes upon $1000, when his neighbor, who owns a block or two of land worth $75,000, with a house worth half as much more, pays taxes upon $30,000 or $40,000 when this same property at auction would bring three times the amount for which it is assessed. Under the new charter our municipal expenses will be greatly increased, and much thought has been exercised as to the best means to replenish our exchequer. I have not the least doubt that if the large property owners were assessed proportionally with the present rate of the property of the poor and mediocre classes there would be money enough to meet all demands required by the new charter.

CITIZEN.

OAKLAND, March 16, 1889.

A WANDERING BOY.

A Youngster From San Francisco Trying to Get to Ottawa, Kan.

Clarence E. Putnam is a well dressed and decent looking boy aged 9 years who was picked up by Officers Shorey and Downey at West Oakland this morning as a runaway. Clarence tells a strange story, the substance of which is as follows: He was born in San Francisco, and two years ago his parents removed to Ottawa, Kan., where they are now residing at 166 Second street. Two or three months ago Clarence took the train to San Francisco, because he was tired of Ottawa, and, by the friendly aid of conductors and the favors of the passengers, he managed to reach the city by the western sea in safety. He at once proceeded to the residence of Miss Mary E. Donnelly, a teacher at the Ringold Grammar school, who formerly resided at 25 Grant avenue. When Clarence reached that place he found Miss Donnelly had removed to 1008 Fillmore street. There Clarence pursued his way, and ever since he has made it his headquarters. Two or three days ago Clarence appears to have grown homesick and he started for Ottawa, presuming that he could reach it just as easily as he came to San Francisco. But when he got on this side of the bay his troubles began and he has been wandering aimlessly about ever since. Two nights he spent with a youngster in East Oakland, and last night with a West Oakland boy whose acquaintance he scratched up on the street. The police have telegraphed to Miss Donnelly for information concerning the boy. Clarence says his father is a railroad engineer named Charles S. Putnam, and the police think he is the boy who was sent out from Kansas to San Francisco some months ago under the care of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

GEORGE BATES'S MONEY.

The Principal of the Gymnasium Sues Charles Webb Howard.

A month or two ago in San Francisco, George Bates sued Charles Webb Howard, President of the Spring Valley Water Company, to recover $1000 that had been paid to bind a certain contract. Howard agreed upon the payment of $1000 down, $1500 in four days, $22,731 in forty-five days, and $30,000 in two years, to give a deed of conveyance of certain property in Alameda county, in the vicinity of Berkeley. After the $1000 had been paid, Bates discovered that the title was not good and refused to consummate the sale, demanding that the $1000 be refunded. Howard demurred to the complaint, on the ground that his agreement to give a deed of conveyance to the property in consideration of these sums did not imply that the deed was to convey a perfect title. Judge Levy overruled the demurrer, and the case will go to trial on its merits.

FINDING A DEAD BODY.

A Claim Against the County Which is Not Legal.

It has been the custom for some time past for persons finding a dead body and reporting the same to the Coroner, to demand the sum of $5 for their services. Recently Mike Whalen discovered a dead body near San Leandro, and reported the matter to G. M. Fronk, who was then Coroner. He then presented a little bill to the Board of Supervisors for the sum of $5. The bill was referred to the District Attorney and to-day he made the following report: "Upon the bill of Mike Whalen for finding a dead body referred to me I would report as follows: I find no law authorizing any such charge against the county, and I therefore advise you that this claim should be rejected. If Mr. Whalen has a claim against any one, it is against Mr. Fronk and not against the county."

GO AND DO LIKEWISE.

Mr. Pixley Congratulates the Electors of This City.

San Francisco Argonaut.

The result of the municipal election in our sister city of Oakland is highly suggestive of the course our citizens should pursue under like circumstances. The people of that city have had the independence, the common sense, and the courage to exercise their political rights entirely independent of political parties. There is no good reason why, in the choice of municipal officers, citizens should divide upon political lines. They do not do it in any other case involving only questions which affect the administration of property. The members of stockholders of a mining, manufacturing, financial, commercial, or social organization, who would choose its officers because they were Democrats or Republicans, and without reference to the ability and integrity of men called upon to perform such duties as are incident to the positions of trustees or directors, would be deemed unwise if they allowed themselves to be in the least degree affected by such considerations. Yet the rule is almost universal in American cities to permit a mob of impecunious adventurers, under the guidance of political bosses, to have the entire control of officials to whom is intrusted the administration of legislative and executive functions. The San Francisco members of our State Legislature and the Supervisors of our city and county illustrate the condition of affairs. The citizens of Oakland have demonstrated how easy it is to work a reform in this direction. A partisan convention assembled in San Francisco at the last election to do the same thing, but it was unfortunately a Presidential election, and while good citizens were willing to lay aside party preferences to work a municipal reform, they found themselves in a minority, and we are now reaping the consequences of their inability to unite. The American party in this city endeavored to do what has been successfully accomplished in Oakland by aid of the American party of Alameda and the American spirit, which may be always relied upon to do the honorable part in all political organizations. The Nonpartisan Convention in this city has maintained its organization, and will form the nucleus of a successful political effort when again the opportunity is presented to choose city officials, if the honest men and gentlemen of the Democratic and Republican parties will have the courage to do what the Citizens' and American party have successfully accomplished in the City of Oaks on the other side of the bay.

A GREAT STRIKE FEARED.

Employes of the Judson Works Oppose Reduction of Wages

The Judson Manufacturing Company proposed to reduce on Monday next the wages of the workingmen in the rolling mill department about 10 per cent.

At a meeting of the men it was unanimously agreed to oppose the reduction.

The men say they are now working for 10 and 20 per cent less than the wages paid for similar work by the Pacific Rolling Mills.

A NEW VENTURE.

The Wentworth Company Opens a Retail Store in Oakland.

The Wentworth Boot and Shoe factory has opened a retail store at 473 Thirteenth street, between Broadway and Washington street, for the benefit of Oakland people. A specialty of this retail trade will be measure work and customers can have their boot wear made to order at the shortest possible notice. A complete assortment of boots and shoes will be kept on hand and will be sold at the lowest possible rates. Previous to this time this company had dealt exclusively in wholesale and the stock is known all over the Pacific coast. Oakland shoe dealers have always handled a large amount of the company's goods but they do not keep the finest grades in stock and it is to introduce these that the store is opened as well as to give the people a better chance to buy their footwear at the lowest possible prices. The factory of the company is at Sixteenth street station and nearly 400 people are given constant employment. I. M. Wentworth, is President of the corporation and George D. Harris is secretary. At the down town store nothing will be kept but the company's own goods, which in more ways than one are far superior to the goods of Eastern make.

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The Tidal Canal.

A leading New York daily paper has sent a letter to Ormsby the photographer at 1055 Broadway, requesting him to make a set of views of work now under way on the new tidal canal which it will publish. The letter states that Mr. Ormsby is as popular in New York as any of the local photographers, and that his pictures may be seen at the houses of the elite in that metropolis. That is not strange to Mr. Ormsby, as he took the national gold medal some time ago for the finest photographs in the United States.

Why A Councilman Was Deafeated.

A certain ward councilman who was a candidate for reelection at the last city election gives the following explanation for his defeat at the polls on Monday last: "You see I was accused of having my clothes made at an establishment where Chinese labor is employed, and in some way my opponent got hold of these facts. When he publicly announced that Joe Lancaster, the artist tailor, made his clothes everybody knew that a man who patronizes him is always bound to succeed in whatever undertaking he may make, and so they threw me over. I have noticed Joe's suits, and I am convinced that he is the tailor for me henceforth; besides I shall advise all my friends to go to him, because when the public finds that a person wears his suits it is not hard to get acquainted and the people have more confidence in time. Take my advice young man and let Joe Lancaster make your suits hereafter."

MASHED AND MANGLED.

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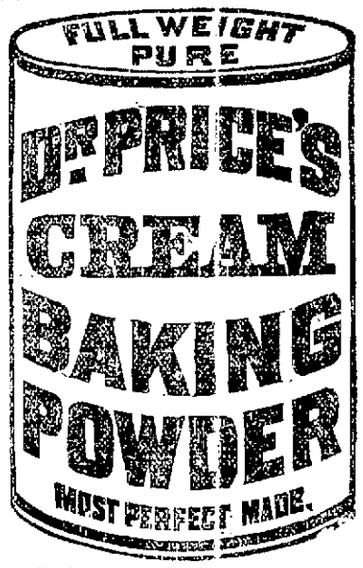

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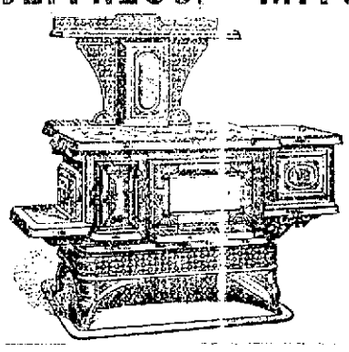

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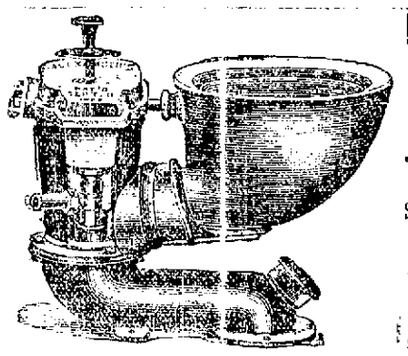

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WILLIAMS—In this city, March 15, at 7:30 P. M., of pneumonia, Miss Belle H., eldest daughter of W. M. Williams, Esq., 470 Merrimac street, aged 18 years.

☞ Funeral To-MORROW (Sunday), at 2 P. M., from the house.

WHIPPLE—In Farmington, Alameda county, Cal., March 11, William Whipple, aged 77 years, 2 months and 6 days. San Francisco papers please copy.

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OLD BORDER TOWNS.

Two Kansas Villages Where Cowboys Ruled and Tenderfeet Obeyed.

Wichita Letter to Chicago Tribune.

The two towns of Caldwell and Hunnewell, which have always attracted more or less attention in every Oklahoma agitation, are both distinctly border Kansas towns, gathering places for cowboys and toughs from the Indian Territory, and are now possessed of many peculiarly interesting reminiscences of border life.

The former, Caldwell, called by its inhabitants the "Gateway to Oklahoma," has grown into a place of some little importance, has the offices of the large stock companies that control the Cherokee Strip lands, and is the home of several of the prominent officers of these corporations. Here live the most bitter opponents and the warmest friends of the Oklahoma bill.

Many a business man through his too open espousal of the "boomers'" cause has seen all of his wealthy customers desert him. Still, with the peculiar fondness of a Western town for advertisement, they have invited the despised "boomers"—when they had stopped upon the banks of the Shikaska river to reconsider their movement—to share their hospitality, offering them protection and sustenance, because they believed that where was the body of the "boomers" there, too, would be ordered the soldiers.

The Cherokee Indian Strip police, in their natty blue uniforms and red stripes and brass buttons, sombreros and ominous belts of ivory handled pistols, are to be seen upon the streets. Each one is reputed to have killed his man or men, and feels that his personal safety depends upon his own vigilance, for more than one desperado has sworn to avenge the death of a pal.

Still standing are to be seen dance houses and saloons, now vacant and deserted, but once the scene of revelry and the wildest dissipation. Each place had its brass band and women; the former played all night, and the latter were always willing to dance to its music and drink the poor whisky and beer that flowed like water. The walls and the ceilings are full of bullet holes, and during the gay season hardly a night passed without at least one man turning up his toes.

Here were the headquarters of "Flatty"—no one knew him by any other name—one of the most notorious desperadoes of Kansas. How many men he had killed is not estimated, but if the stories of the old-timers are to be believed, they would have made a little graveyard by themselves. They tell how "Flatty" was taken unawares in his saloon one night, and with a revolver in each hand, piled up the dead bodies of the men who attempted to come in upon him from the two doors. He had sworn a terrible oath to kill more men than anybody else. He was at last shot in the back by some unknown, as he walked arm in arm between two of his friends. The assassin stepped out from between buildings and fired the fatal shot. "That ere is the only way they could have got the drop on 'Flatty,'" remarked the old timer.

"See that ere big bluff just over there just on the line," said the same authority, as he lounged in front of the hotel. "Well, sir, right there is where we planted Billy Manning. Don't know who Billy Manning is? He and his two brothers came here in the '70s from back in Illenoi with 1200 head of cattle. A year arterwards they took their cattle to Newton to sell. They gambled and dissipated away every durned cent of the money, and besides two of the boys got kilt. When Billy came back he had it in for some feller down in Bluff creek, who he said did him up. So one day when he had come to town and got filled up Billy mounted his pony, took his gun, and went out to look fur him—and found him too. His horse came into town with blood on the saddle, and we went out and found Billy lyin' in the plain. 'I am dun fur,' he said kind, of weak like, 'but don't ye burry me in that durn'd State of Kansas; plant me up there,' pointin' to that bluff. So we all got together and had a big buryin'. But, gewhilikers, when they made the survey, it was diskivered that the bluff was in Kansas, and so Billy's dyin' request wasn't carried out at all."

In the cemetery is a grave in which are buried two horse thieves clasped in each other's arms, as they were found after their last bowie knife struggle. The undertaker put both into the same coffin and so interred them.

Hunnewell is twelve miles east of Caldwell and on the territorial line. Its few gardens come right up to the line, and one can stand here and see on the north cultivated fields, gardens, farms, houses, and signs of civilization; and on the south nothing but a vast waste of buffalo grass which rolls away to the south, and is at last lost where land and sky appear to meet. It is an unusual sight, and perhaps nowhere else in the world is the demarcation so distinct between State and State, between the work of man and that of nature.

The town itself is a striking example of a "burst boom." It was the northern terminus of the Texas cattle trail, and when the Santa Fe built a branch of their road south from Wellington some Chicago speculators took hold of the place and "boomed" it. Great cattle pens were built, stores, residences, a fine schoolhouse, and a big hotel were erected; the country all around was laid out in town lots, which soon soared to high prices. Then the boom burst, the stores were deserted, and now the big four story hotel rents for but $1 a year, even at which the proprietor says he loses money.

But in its palmier days it would be difficult to conceive of a livelier or more wicked town. The cowboys came up over the trail from Texas and here received the wages for their services. Gamblers, saloon-keepers, desperadoes and lewd women were here in full force to win from or rob them of their money. Dance houses of the lowest type thrived, and their bullet-pierced walls and ceilings today bear testimony of wild scenes of revelry enacted within.

Here was the dive of the notorious "Texas Ann" and her daughter. It is a one story building, with additions upon the east and south sides, all at present in a state of decay. The walls of the additions are pasted over with pictures from the police papers and ornamented with bullet holes. The whisky was kept in a cellar reached by a steep flight of stairs. This cellar was, too, it is said, used for other purposes, and many a drugged man has been pitched into it to be robbed and his dead body afterward concealed. If those dingy old walls could speak, of how many crimes, murders, robberies they could tell!

Suspended from the fronts of low one story buildings are still to be seen the signs "Cowboys' Headquarters," "Cattlemen's Saloon," and "Texas Jim's Place."

When the now deserted town was in its glory Art Hughes was Mayor and Frank Ward City Marshal. Neither position was a sinecure, as the lawless patrons were inclined to obey the laws of man no more than those of God, and the first victims were usually the officers. They had driven away all previous officials, and were preparing to do the same with Hughes and Ward. They "called" the Marshal and he weakened but not so with the Mayor. He walked into the Cowboys' Headquarters one night, while they were preparing to run him out of town, a shotgun in one hand, two six shooters in his belt. As Hughes entered the room a cowboy turned to him, and was about to draw a pistol, but he was not quick enough, for the Mayor riddled him with buckshot. The cowboy's friends made a rush for the officer just as Frank and Charley Russell—at present the proprietors of the only livery stable in the place—came to his assistance. This victory of law over desperadoes checked the previous prevalent pastime of shooting horses and inoffensive "tenderfeet" full of holes. It also killed the town, for if the toughs could not run it they would not patronize it.

MADAME DE STAEL.

How Her Salon Appeared to Gouverneur Morris

The first salon of the time was that over which Madame de Stael presided. Her regular Tuesday evening supper, when not more than a dozen or fifteen covers were laid and her chosen friends were admitted in the little salon, the *chambre ardente*, was the great feature of the week. "Here, the candles extinguished to heighten the effect, the Abbe Delille declaimed his 'Catacombe de Rome,' and here Clermont Tonnerre submitted to the criticism of his friends his discourse before delivering it in public. Near the chimney Necker stood, entertaining the Bishop of Autun, who smiled, but avoided talking. Here was to be found the Duchess of Lauzen, of all women the most gentle and timid; and, in the midst stood the hostess in her favorite attitude before the fire, with her hands behind her back, a large, leonine woman, with few beauties and no grace of gesture. She, nevertheless, animated the salon by her masculine attitude and powerful conversation." Morris has the courage to tell her, after a vociferous argumentation between her and an abbe, that when she gets to Switzerland she must let her head cool and then digest her ideas of government, which will become sound by her own reflections. Necker, Morris pronounces "a man with a greater reputation than he had a right to. His enemies say that as a banker he has acquired his fortune by means, which to say the least, were indelicate, and they mention instances. But in this country everything is so exaggerated that nothing is more useful than a little skepticism. He is a man of genius and his wife a woman of sense. But neither of them has talents, or rather, the talents of a great minister. His education as a banker has taught him to make tight bargains, and put him upon his guard against projects. But though he understands man as a covetous creature, he does not understand mankind, a defect which is irremediable. He is utterly ignorant also of politics, by which I mean politics in the great sense, or that sublimest science, which embraces for its object the happiness of mankind. Consequently he neither knows what constitution to form nor how to obtain the consent of others to such as he wishes. From the moment of convening the States general he has been afloat on the wide ocean of incidents. But what is most extraordinary is that M. Necker is a very poor financier. This I know will sound like heresy in the ears of most people, but it is true. The plans he has proposed are feeble and inept."

One Effect of Amateur Theatricals.

From an illustrated article on "Amateur Theatricals" in the March *Century*, by Gustav Kobbe, we quote the following:

"Amateur theatricals have had another and different influence upon society than that just referred to. They have made it less exclusive. The jealousy with which it formerly guarded its privacy caused publicity to seem incompatible with good breeding, and naturally created a prejudice against the profession whose members, through the very character of their work, necessarily come conspicuously before the public. When the old slipshod methods were abandoned for a thoroughness of preparation almost if not quite equal to that which prevails on the professional stage, the amateurs became cognizant of the many sterling qualities which an actor of the first rank must possess in addition to natural dramatic gifts. They recognized the great artistic value of a successful portrayal of character, and naturally the actor and his work grew in honor among them. There was, of course, a touch of vanity withal. Were they not emulating professional actors? How could they then afford to look down upon those like whom they were striving to be? Then, too, as soon as the amateurs began to rehearse and play in public theaters, they gained a nearer view of professional dramatic matters. They saw theatrical life no longer under the glamour of the footlights. They were brought face with the stern reality behind the scenes, and learned that the actor's life is one of loyal devotion to his art, often under conditions of hardship which no other profession imposes. There they found also, a wealth of generous, self-sacrificing natures which they could not but honor. Nor could they fail to discover that in theatrical circles, as in others, there are various degrees of culture, and that among the members of the profession are men and women who would be ornaments in the most refined society. And so it is that the stage has been brought into closer relation with society; and from this more intimate relationship a new kind of amateur theatricals has in turn sprung up, called mixed theatricals, consisting of performances in which both professionals and amateurs take part."

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Under this head will be found the location of the churches in Oakland, the names of the pastors or rectors, the hours of service, of Sunday school, and of week day meetings. In the local columns may be found general religious news of interest and the subjects of sermons to be preached to-morrow.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Corner of Brush and Fourteenth streets. Rev. C. H. Hobart pastor.

FIRST A. M. E. CHURCH — Fifteenth street and Market. Preaching at 11 A. M. The public are cordially invited. Seats free

EIGHTH AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Rev. C. F. Clapp, Pastor. Services held at Washington Hall, at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M.

BROOKLYN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Corner Twelfth avenue and East Fifteenth street, East Oakland. Rev. E. S. Chapman D. D., pastor

THE WEST OAKLAND BAPTIST SABBATH School—Meets at Kohler's Hall, Center station, every Sunday at 9 P. M. Friends invited

THE LADIES' UNION CONSECRATION MEETING will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the parlor of the First Presbyterian Church.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Harrison street, corner of Fourteenth. Rev. Hobart Chetwood, rector. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Corner Thirteenth and Market streets. Rev. George W. Sweeney, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.

HARRISON STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Harrison street, between Fourth and Fifth Rev. W. T. Ficenor, pastor. Preaching morning and evening. All are invited.

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH — Ninth street, one block east of Center. Rev. John A. Emery, rector. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.

FIRST UNITARIAN SOCIETY—Worships in Hamilton Church, corner of Thirteenth and Jefferson streets. Rev. C. W. Wendte, pastor. Sunday-school at 12:15 o'clock. All invited.

PROGRESSIVE SPIRITUALISM—The Progressive Spiritualists of Oakland meet every Sunday afternoon at Fraternity Hall, corner of Seventh and Peralta streets, at 3 and 7 P. M.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH—Grove street, near Seventh. Rev. Dr. Akerly, rector. Service at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:40 A.M. Surplice choir at evening service, and seats free.

FIRST NEW CHURCH SOCIETY—Montana Block, corner Seventh and Adeline streets. Rev. L. G. Jordan pastor. Services every Sunday morning at 11:15 o'clock. Sabbath school at 10:15 A. M.

CHURCH OF THE ADVENT—Corner Twelfth ave. and East Sixteenth street. East Oakland. Rev. Dr. Lathrop, rector. Morning service, 11 A. M. Evening service, 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—West street, between Eleventh and Twelfth, Rev. S. Goodenough, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 12:15 P. M. Seats free. All cordially invited.

GRACE CHURCH, Episcopal—Cleveland avenue or Forty-fourth street, North Temescal; Sunday School, 10 A. M. Morning service 11 o'clock. Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Seats free, strangers welcomed.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH—Seventeenth street between San Pablo and Telegraph avenues, services at 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. L. Kroeck, pastor. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Union street, near Adeline station, Rev. H. H. Rice, pastor. Residence, 1054 Kirkham street, near Eleventh. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school 12:30 P. M.

EAST OAKLAND M. E. CHURCH—Seventh avenue, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets. H. B. Heacock, D. D., pastor-Residence, 389 Seventeenth street. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:30 P. M.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH—Corner Fourteenth and Clay sts. Rev. E. R. Dille, D. D., pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Young people's meeting is at 6:30 P. M. Sabbath school at 12:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. All invited.

CHURCH OF CHRIST — Worships in the hall on Twelfth street near Washington. A. Coplin, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. Prayer and Testimony meeting 6:30 P. M. Gospel meeting 7:30 P. M. Sittings free

CENTENNIAL M. E. CHURCH—S. W. corner Ninth and Chester streets, two blocks North from Center street station Rev. J. H. Wythe Jr. pastor, preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:15 P. M. young people's meeting at 7 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH — Corner Fourteenth and Franklin streets. Rev. Francis A. Horton, D. D., pastor, Residence, 1357 Franklin street, corner Seventeenth street. Public Worship at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:45

TENTH AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH — Fourteenth street and Tenth avenue. Rev. J. Hendon Garnett, pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:15 P. M. Young people's prayer meeting at 6:15 P. M. All cordially invited to attend

BIBLE CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOL—Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D., President and Conductor John Gilberston, Secretary and Treasurer Class meets regularly on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the chapel of the First Congregational Church, for this term. Strictly non-sectarian.

THE SAN PABLO AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH—Twenty-fourth street, near San Pablo avenue. Rev. A. J. Stubrevant, pastor; residence 842 Twenty-ninth street. Preaching morning and evening. Sunday school, 12:15 P. M. Young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M. All are invited.

FIRST SWEDISH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN St. Paul's Church—On Ninth st. bet. Washington and Clay, Rev. A. M. Le Vear, pastor. Residence, 819 Thirteenth street. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school at 10 A. M. Prayer meeting, Thursday, at 7:30 P. M.

FIRST SWEDISH BAPTIST CHURCH—Magnolia and Tenth street. Rev. C. M. Nelson pastor. Residence, 1209 Fourteenth street. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 P. M. Young people's meeting Sunday evening at 6:30.

PLYMOUTH AVENUE CHURCH—Plymouth ave near Telegraph avenue. Rev. George Moore, D. D. pastor. Sunday morning services at 11 P. M. Sunday school at 12:15. Young people's meeting at 6 P. M. Praise service, 7:30 P. M. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30.

SWEDISH M. E. CHURCH—Corner Tenth and Center streets, Oakland. Services Sunday, at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Prayer meeting Wednesdays at 7:30 P. M. Class meeting Fridays and 7:30. S. L. Carlander, pastor. Residence next door to the Church.

FIRST FREE BAPTIST CHURCH—Twenty-firs' street, between San Pablo avenue and Brush street, Rev. C. F. Penney, D. D. pastor. Preaching service Sunday at 11 A. M and 7:30 P. M. Young People's meeting at 6:30 P. M. Prayer meetings Sunday and Wednesday evenings at 7:30 P. M.

CAMPBELL STREET NORWEGIAN AND DANISH M. E. CHURCH—Between Eighth and Taylor streets. Preaching every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:45. Norwegians and Danes cordially invited. Rev. Carl F. Eitzholtz, pastor. Residence, 1013 Willow street.

MARKET STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH —(Branch of the First Congregational Church.)—Market street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets. Rev. G. H. Merrill, pastor. Residence, 1449 Market street. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Young people's meeting at 6:15 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 P. M.

ASBURY M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Corner Fifteenth and Clay streets. Rev. T. A. Atkinson, pastor. Services at 11 A. M., and 7:45 P. M. Sunday school at 12:15 P. M. to 3:40 A. M., after morning service. Young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Pastor's residence, 1140 East Seventeenth street near Twenty-third avenue, East Oakand.

THIRTY-FOURTH STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Corner Thirty-fourth and Market streets, Rev. George H. McCracken, pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9:30 A. M.; Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Pastor's residence 569 Thirty fifth street.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Corner Twelfth and Clay streets. Rev. J. K. McLean D. D., pastor. Rev. John Rea, associate pastor and superintendent of the Sunday school. Services at 11 A. M and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:30. Young People's Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 P. M. The public are cordially invited to these services.

SECOND CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH — Chase street. Services 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Everybody cordially invited to attend. Prayer meeting on Wednesday night. Sunday school at close of morning service. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 6 P. M. Band of Hope every alternate Sunday. Other services as announced from the pulpit.

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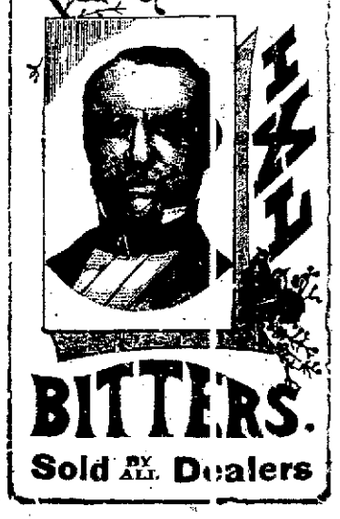
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This notice is given by direction of the stockholders, who have called the meeting.

W. C. MASON,
Secretary of the Oakland, Brooklyn, and Fruit Vale Railroad Company.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE county of Alameda, State of California. In the matter of the estate of Anoceto Antonio da Silva, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Anoceto Antonio da Silva, deceased, and for the issuance to A. M. Silva of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 4th day of March, A.D. 1889, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 of said court at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated February 21st, 1889.

CHAS. T. BOARDMAN
Clerk,
By N. G. STURTEVANT, Deputy Clerk.
G. S. LANGAN, Attorney for Petitioner.

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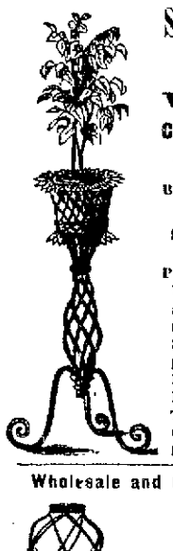
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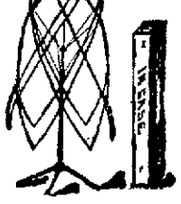
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FIGHT WITH A BOBCAT.

A Canadian Lynx a Very Ugly Customer.

Boston Traveller.

To those who have never penetrated into the heart of the Adirondack wilderness or spent a night in a Canadian trapper's camp the word "bobcat" may seem slightly foreign, and will, no doubt, need a translation. The hunters and guides of the Adirondack region and throughout the Canadian border apply this term to the Canada lynx, on account of its resemblance to a tailless cat, or rather a cat with only an apology for a tail—"bobcat," or lynx. "He gets there just the same," as the following story, told by an old hunter, goes to prove. I will not attempt to imitate his peculiar dialect, but otherwise tell it just as he told me, sitting round a roaring fire in the heart of the Adirondacks:

"'Twas a warm morning in September, 1824, when I shouldered my rifle and started with my dog for the 'Giant's basin,' hoping to bring home a fine buck, for the venison was running low at the camp, and in this region winter sets in early, and when once here stays. The basin was a favorite 'lick' for deer, and this fall had been a plentiful one for them. The road led through sunny Keene valley, where it turned up the mountain and led for the rest of the way along the sides of different ledges, sometimes high in the air and again along the dry beds of a mountain stream. At last the basin was reached, and after waiting an hour or more my patience was rewarded by obtaining a fat young buck, which I quartered and hung on a tree to await the arrival of a party of trappers who were going to join me at the basin on the following morning.

"Before preparing for the night I took it into my head to have a partridge for supper, and started out accordingly.

"Luck seemed against me, and I was about to turn back for the basin, when to my dismay I had not the least idea which way to turn, and it had grown very dark, the wind had come up, and every appearance of a cold night pervaded the air. While pondering what do do the wind brought to my ears a cry or moan so faint as to be hardly heard above the whispering balsams, but all doubt was removed by a second cry, much nearer and more distinct than the first. I now realized what the cry meant, and I knew that the smell of fresh venison had attracted the nose of one of the ugliest animals of the forest, the Canadian lynx, or 'bobcat.'

"Before I could make ready for an attack, or find a place of shelter, the boughs ahead of me parted, and with a yell the lynx, for such it proved to be, sprung straight for my shoulders and would have struck me full in the chest had I not retained presence of mind to drop on one knee, and thus receive the whole weight of the animal on my heels. We both turned, but the cat was a little bit quicker, and catching my arms in his open jaws, rolled me over on my back, and at the same time settled his claws well into my hunting jacket. With the arm that was free I struggled desperately to reach my hunting knife, that I might the sooner end the struggle, which was beginning to severely tell on my strength. At last my arm was free of his jaws; he had dropped it in order to use his teeth to better effect on my throat, and had nearly accomplished this when from under the bushes I saw a black, shaggy mass fly through the air and fasten itself on the back of the cat, which rolled over and prepared for another struggle, which I ended by plunging my knife to his heart, and thus saving my dog, for it was my watchful friend, from a struggle that must inevitably end in a victory for the 'bobcat.'

"I slept that night with a lynx for a pillow and a dog for a footboard, and was awakened the next morning by trappers who had come in search of me, not finding me at the basin. By the aid of poles we carried the cat home, and when measured it was found to reach twelve feet, tip to tip, being the largest specimen of the kind ever killed in the country."

FISHING BY NIGHT.

How the Whiting and Other Fish Are Taken in Rhode Island.

The whiting is a handsome fish, ranges in size as caught here from eight to twelve inches in length and weighs from a quarter to half a pound and over. There are but a few scales on him, which are easily removed, and the expert cleans him with great rapidity. The flesh is white and sweet, and the backbone is the only one in the fish, and, that removed when cooked, the flesh is very fine eating.

The methods of taking the fish, says the Providence *Journal*, vary according to the localities, though in each case a lantern is used, both to attract the fish and to see them. Perhaps the most artistic way of catching the fish is with a small steel spear fastened to a handle four feet long. The spear has five or six prongs, each with a small barb, and the shank is weighted with lead to give force to the blow. The fisherman, wearing a pair of hip rubber boots, wades along the shore some eight or ten feet from the edge of the beach, lantern in his left hand and spear ready for work. The whiting, attracted by the light, swims on the surface near him, and, by a very rapid stroke, is secured and tossed to shore to be picked up by the second fisherman, who, with lantern and basket, carries off the spoils. The man with the basket secures not a few fish, for, attracted by his lantern or driven by the one who is wading, they swim ashore and jump out on the beach. A second method, and one, perhaps, equally good, is very often employed, and that is to use a short handled net instead of a spear. In this case the waiter drives the fish toward the shore, and either scoops him up when he gets in shallow water or rushes him up on the beach and picks him up. This method secures the fish unharmed, but it takes longer, and so a large catch is not the result. Another method, and one employed by those who are not possessed of a net or spear, is to use an iron toed hed rake, wade near the beach, and as the fish are tolled in by the lantern light they are raked ashore and picked up.

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REPAIRING A SNAKE'S TAIL.

An Ingenious Bridgeport Man Doctors an Unfortunate Rattlesnake.

David Smith, who keeps a gun store in Bridgeport, Conn., has been having a good deal of trouble with snakes. A correspondent says that it is the custom of Mr. Smith to keep a various assortment of reptiles, partly as an attraction to his store, and partly to cultivate people who are desirous of seeing snakes. About a month ago Andy Austin was charmed by one of Smith's rattlesnakes. The boy was subject to epileptic fits, and was looking through a plate glass window at a large rattlesnake until the reptile caused the boy's gaze to be riveted upon it to such a degree of attention as to require the force of some friends to drag him away. Strange as this may appear, the experience of Andy did not deter other boys from visiting Smith's window, many of whom wanted to be and tried to get charmed.

The desire to be charmed did not end with the boys. Several old men entered the store and stood for hours staring at adders and rattlesnakes. It interfered with Mr. Smith's business. The large rattlesnake, which had been despoiled of its fangs, seemed to realize the desire of these men to be placed under a spell, and with its snakish instincts to charm uppermost tried to make up for its lack of venom by giving an extra rattle with its tail, but with the unhappy result of shaking off four rattles. This greatly annoyed Mr. Smith. It left but nine rattles intact, each of which represents one year of the snake's age. Instead of thirteen his pet charmer showed rattles for but nine years.

The next day, however, much to Mr. Smith's delight, Dr. Edward Howe called. He said he was a snake doctor; that he had handled a good many blacksnakes; that he was familiar with snakes in general, and could readjust the four displaced rattles. Dr. Howe said that the rattles were linked together and the noise was produced, not by balls or any loose substance within the rattles, but by the links being energetically rubbed together. Mr. Smith was delighted to learn that the snake's tail could be restored like a broken ceramic and made just as good as new. Thereupon Dr. Howe proceeded to snap the loose rattles back in place. In order to treat the snake Dr. Howe did not etherize it, but froze it by placing ice around the glass case. When the snake was perfectly dormant he had no difficulty in performing the operation. The reconstructed tail works perfectly, and the snake is proud of it.

MONSTERS OF THE SEA.

Enormous Crabs With Claws Over Five Feet in Length.

Of the crab family one of the largest and most remarkable specimens is to be found in Japan, where it is highly esteemed as an article of food. Mr. Holder tells us about it. Its chief claws are each five feet in length, measuring from ten to twelve feet between the nippers, and presenting an astonishing spectacle when entangled in the nets and hauled aboard the boats. The body is almost triangular and comparatively small. They have the remarkable habit of leaving the water at night and crawling up the shores of the coast, presumably to feed, and there they are sought by the crab hunters. A story is told of a party of fishermen who had camped out on the river bank, and one of whom aroused the others in the night by yells and screams. Running to the spot they found that one of these monster crabs, in wandering over the flats, accidentally crawled over the prostrate fisherman. He awoke with the great claws moving about him, and it would be hard to tell whether the man or the crab was the more terrified.

But the robber crab of the Indian Ocean surpasses even the Japanese crab in strength, says the Philadelphia *Times*. It is called the palm crab, because it lives in the cocoanut groves, making its nest in a hole under the tree. It subsists upon the fruit, tearing the husk from the nuts with its claws and carrying it to its bed as a lining. The Malays often pillage the crabs' nests and get the shreds of husk to calk their vessels or for the manufacture of mats and other articles. The crabs are very intelligent, for they always open the end of the nut that contains the eye spots and hammer away at the eyes until an opening is made. Sometimes one will secure so firm a hold upon a nut with its large claw that it can dash it against a rock until the shell is broken.

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